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us in the next."—Town Topics.

His wife in a pretty picture."
Yes, but it costs a lot to frame
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ARBUCKLE JURY, EXCEPT A WOMAN MEMBER, SAID TO FAVOR HIS ACQUITTAL

Film Comedian Tried for Manslaughter in Connection With Death of Motion Picture Actress Shows Nervousness While Awaiting Verdict.

JURY LOCKED UP FOR THE NIGHT

Accused Man, Expecting Immediate Verdict, Had His Big Automobile Waiting for Him at Door; Closing Argument.

By the Associated Press.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 3.—The jury considering the evidence submitted in the trial of Roscoe ("Fatty") Arbuckle, charged with manslaughter in connection with the death of Virginia Rappe, film actress, returned to the juryroom from its hotel at 10 o'clock this morning. The jury, composed of seven men and five women, appeared refreshed after a night's rest, which had begun at 11 o'clock last night after it had failed to agree on a verdict in four and a quarter hours' deliberation.

The jury was given a two-hour lunch recess at 12 o'clock after having failed to reach a verdict in the two hours additional deliberations this morning.

Reports that it was divided, 11 to 1, for acquittal persisted today, but there was nothing to give any great amount of tangibility to this report. Corridor gossip said that one woman was holding out for conviction.

Arbuckle appeared a few minutes before 10 o'clock wearing a thick black overcoat. He did not have the haggard look that he carried away with him last night. He chatted with newspaper men and others in an apparently carefree manner.

While the jury was deliberating last night the bailiffs were summoned to the jury room twice, once to receive a request that the jurors be taken to dinner and the other time the jury asked that the doors of the room in the Hotel St. Francis, where Arbuckle is alleged to have injured Virginia Rappe, be brought to them for examination. They changed their minds, however, before the request could be met. Expert testimony regarding the finger prints on these doors was the basis

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WOMAN FATALLY HURT WHEN HIT BY AUTO TRUCK

Mrs. H. G. Trentman, Struck by Express Company Driver at Seventh and Washington, Dies at Hospital.

Mrs. Henry G Trentman, 58 years old, of 5243 Blow street, was fatally injured at Seventh street and Washington avenue shortly after noon today when knocked down by a truck of the Popular Price Express Co., driven by Louis Appleman of 2338A Howard street. She died at the city hospital at 1:35 p. m. Several ribs were fractured and she had internal injuries.

Appleman was turning west into Washington avenue from Seventh street and Mrs. Trentman was crossing from the north to the south side of Washington avenue when run down. Appleman was arrested.

EIGHT INCHES OF SNOW IN SOME PARTS OF KANSAS

Denver Reports Fall of Six Inches With Average of 6 to 7 Inches in Wyoming.

By the Associated Press.

TOPEKA, Kan., Dec. 3.—Snow ranging from an inch to eight inches covering the Northeast, south central and eastern third of the State fell last night and early today, according to reports received by the Weather Bureau and railroad offices here. The heaviest show is in the west portion. The blanket of moisture covers a greater portion of the wheat belt, which has been suffering from drought.

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 3.—The heaviest snowstorm of the season in the Rocky Mountain region was diminishing in intensity today as it moved on to the southeast, centering over Oklahoma and Northwestern Texas, the district Weather Bureau reported. The storm swept the region yesterday and last night.

VERDICT OF MURDER IN FIRST DEGREE AGAINST DR. NIXON

Kansan Tried in Connection With the Killing of Arthur Banta, Attorney.

By the Associated Press.

GREAT BEND, Kan., Dec. 3.—A verdict of guilty of first degree murder was returned this afternoon by the jury in the case of Dr. W. A. Nixon, on trial in connection with the killing of Arthur Banta, a young attorney.

Nixon received the verdict in the matter of fact way he viewed the entire court proceedings. "I am absolutely innocent of the murder of Arthur Banta," said he. The attorney for the defense announced he would file a motion for a new trial.

EDISON AND FORD ARRIVE TO INSPECT MUSCLE SHOALS

Manufacturer and Scientist Are Accompanied by Large Staff of Engineers.

By the Associated Press.

FLORENCE, Ala., Dec. 3.—Henry Ford and Thomas A. Edison, accompanied by a staff of engineers, arrived in Florence shortly before noon today for an inspection of the Government nitrate plants and water power projects at Muscle Shoals, Ala.

CONDITIONS IN SOUTH AMERICA

Several Countries Reported on Verge of Recovery From War Depression.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Leading South American countries appear to be on the verge of recovery from after the war depression, the Commerce Department declared last night in a summary of economic conditions in Argentina, Brazil, Chile and Peru.

GEN. DIAZ ARRIVES ON SPECIAL TRAIN FOR VISIT HERE

Commander-in-Chief of Italian Armies Met by Committee at Union Boulevard at 3:45 P. M.

SILK HATS AFFECTED BY THE SNOWSTORM

Many Carry Flowers and Red, White and Green of Italy Is Displayed in Various Forms.

Gen. Armando Diaz, Commander in Chief of the Italian armies, who routed the Austrians on the Piave River, arrived in St. Louis this afternoon, his special train from New Orleans reaching the Union boulevard entrance of Forest Park at 3:45 p. m.

Several hundred members of Italian societies, with city officials and other members of a reception committee, waited in a snow storm for the arrival of the train. Silk hats, worn by some of the committee, were severely affected by the wet flakes, which stuck to everything save the asphalt pavement.

Many carried flowers, and the red, white and green of Italy were displayed in various forms, in badges, banners and automobile decorations.

Guard of Infantrymen.

The Sixth Infantry, from Jefferson Barracks, had one company stationed at the place of arrival, one in front of the St. Louis Club on Lindell boulevard near Grand avenue, where an archway had been placed in honor of the guest, and another at Hotel Statler, the destination of the automobile ride from Forest Park.

Because of the snow, and its effect on the streets, 40 mounted policemen who had been detailed to accompany the automobiles were sent back to the Mounted District stables.

Gen. Diaz is to remain in St. Louis until 9:30 p. m. tomorrow. His reception today is in charge of the Citizens' Committee which recently greeted Marshal Foch. Tomorrow's program is in the hands of Italian societies.

The General will be guest at a formal dinner at the St. Louis Club at 6:30 p. m., given by the Citizens' Committee, appointed by the Mayor.

Sunday's program will be in the hands of the Italian colony, which for three weeks has been in a turmoil of anticipation and preparation to do homage to "the Savior of Italy" as it has to no other visiting war hero. At a mass meeting held Thursday night more than $8000 was raised for an entertainment fund.

In addition, a fund of 50,000 lire (approximately $2500) was raised to

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The Plot to Oust Wilson and Part It Played in Lansing's Dismissal.

New light on an extraordinary chapter in the campaign of the enemies of President Wilson to unseat him, together with some hitherto unpublished information on the startling demand of the Chief Magistrate for the resignation of his Secretary of State. Why he deemed Lansing disloyal revealed at last. One of the most absorbing installments in Private Secretary Joseph P. Tumulty's highly interesting book, "Woodrow Wilson as I Know Him."

Tomorrow's Sunday Post-Dispatch

Other features to be found exclusively in the Sunday Post-Dispatch:

First of the Season's Elaborate Costume Balls—Photographs of young St. Louis society folk in their attractive costumes, beautifully reproduced in the Rotogravure Section.

Not in the Movies But in Real Life—Wedding of a millionaire's son halted at the altar.

Nine Centenarians and All Are Feeling Fine—All about them and how they have managed to live 100 years or more.

The Newest Land Swindle and How City Tenement Folk Are Robbed of Their Savings—It starts with a lottery, but there is no chance for the victims to win.

Something New About the Origin and Evolution of Man—Discovery of the skull of what is said to be the "Ape-Man" in Africa arouses interest in scientific world.

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PLANTS IN SECOND PERIOD OF BLOOM AT SHAW'S GARDEN

Bulletin Lists 104 That Flowered as Late as Nov. 9—Many More Than Usual.

The mild, rainy weather of September and October, following upon an unusually dry summer, produced an extraordinary effect upon some of the outdoor plants at Shaw's Garden. The weather had the effect of prolonging the summer, with the result that many plants, which ordinarily flower only in March and May, broke into a second period of bloom.

Moreover, a large number of fall-blooming plants, whose period of flowering is commonly brief, have now been blooming vigorously for many weeks, as a consequence of the extended mild season.

The November bulletin of the garden gives a list of 104 plants that have bloomed as late as Nov. 9 this year. About one-third of these do not ordinarily bloom after June. Only a very small percentage ever bloom as late as Nov. 9.

10 PER CENT CUT IN FREIGHT ON MOST FARM PRODUCTS

General Reduction Authorized by I. C. C., Acting Quickly on Voluntary Petitions of Railroads.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—A general decrease of 10 per cent in rates on practfcally all farm products was authorized by the Interstate Commerce Commission today, in passing favorably on the voluntary application of all the roads except those in New England.

The commission, acting with great expedition on the application of the railroads, which was barely completed this week, repealed all of its outstanding orders afecting rates which would interfere and authorized the railroads to establish and maintain a lower schedule for a period of six months.

SHOT AND STABBED BY ROBBERS

Two Men Killed in Pennsylvania When They Refuse Money.

By the Associated Press.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 3.—Two men were shot and killed by robbers at Curtisville, late last night, according to information received today by the police here. The victims, Joseph Bosek and Louie Pirneck, were accosted near their house by two men who demanded money. When they refused the robbers attacked them with knives and pistols.

FIRST SNOW OF WINTER; LOWEST TONIGHT ABOUT 28

THE TEMPERATURES.

1 a. m.	35	11 a. m.	33
4 a. m.	34	1 p. m.	34
7 a. m.	33	2 p. m.	34
9 a. m.	32	3 p. m.	33

The first snow of the winter began falling at 3:10 o'clock this afternoon. The Weather Bureau announced that it was local. Flurries had fallen at intervals during the day.



Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Cloudy and somewhat colder tonight, with the lowest temperature about 28 edgrees; tomorrow fair.

Missouri: Rain or snow tonight, slightly colder in southwest portion; tomorrow generally fair; fresh to strong northeast to north winds tonight, shifting to northwest tomorrow morning and diminishing.

Illinois: Probably snow in north portion and rain or snow in south portion tonight and tomorrow; not much change in temperature.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Weather predictions for the week beginning Monday are:

Upper Mississippi and Lower Missouri Valleys—Temperature near or above normal and generally fair with a probability of rains in the Upper Mississippi Valley Tuesday or Wednesday.

MAN SLAIN IN RESTAURANT WAS FRIEND OF EGAN

Detectives Believe George Ruloff Was Killed Because He Had Talked Too Much About Murder of Politician

LIVED NEAR WHERE CONSTABLE WAS SHOT

Theory of Police Is That He May Have Seen the Men Who Killed Egan—Five Bullet Wounds in Body.

Detectives investigating the murder yesterday of George Ruloff, 29 years old, of 1403 Franklin avenue, in Joseph Cavasino's restaurant at 1318½ Franklin avenue, are working on the theory that he was killed because he knew too much about the murder of his friend, William Egan, Constable and Democratic Committeeman, in his saloon at 1400 Franklin avenue, Oct. 31, or had talked too much about it.

Capt. Stinger and Lieut. Schiefelbein, who worked all night on the case, are satisfied that it was deliberate murder. Neither Ruloff nor the restaurant was robbed. The five bullets fired into his body evidence determination to kill him. The wounds indicate that he was first shot in the abdomen, with an automatic pistol held so close to him that his clothing and flesh were powder-burned, and that as he turned and tried to escape he was followed and four more bullets were fired into his back and the back of his head.

Known as Egan Lieutenant.

Members of the homicide squad, working under Lieut. Vasey, are satisfied that there is a connection between the murder of Ruloff and the murder of Egan. Detective Sergeant Sheller, who had known Ruloff for years, says he was known for years as one of Egan's lieutenants.

The Cavasino restaurant has been known as an Egan stronghold. Since Egan was murdered Ruloff and other of his supporters have boasted that they were getting close to the murderers and knew who had paid to have Egan killed.

John ("Puggy") Dunn, who has been sought since the Egan murder, had taken an oath to kill everybody connected with the murder in 1916 of his brother, Harry ("Cherries") Dunn. Egan was at the Typo Press Club when Harry Dunn was killed and Dunn's friends have always said that Egan could have prevented the killing. Chief of Detectives Hoagland has information that Dunn has been hiding in Illinois within two hours' ride of St. Louis.

Lived Near Egan Saloon.

Ruloff lived with his sister, Emma, across the street from Egan's saloon. It is thought that he may have seen the men who killed Egan or that the Egan murderers had reason to think, from things that Ruloff had said, that he knew more about it than was good for their safety and might tell the police what he knew.

Ruloff has been a hanger-on at Egan's saloon and at Cavasino's small restaurant and was frequently left in charge of the restaurant when Cavasino went out. Cavasino telephoned the police at 1:15 p. m. and said a man had been shot in his restaurant. Capt. Stinger accompanied some of his men in a patrol wagon. They found Cavasino standing in front of his restaurant. He said Ruloff had been shot.

Ruloff was found in a small storage room behind the restaurant, lying face down. He was alive but unconscious. No blood was visible. Capt. Stinger asked Cavasino how he knew George had been shot. He said he did not know, but he supposed so. Ruloff was taken in the patrol wagon to the city hospital. He was dead. He had been shot with small caliber bullets in the abdomen, in the back under the right shoulder, back of the right ear and twice at the base of the skull.

Restaurant Owner's Statement.

Cavasino, who lives above the restaurant, said he and his wife slept late yesterday morning. When his wife arose she went to the home of her mother, Mrs. Mary McCandless, at 1408 Franklin avenue. Cavasino arose at 10 and prepared his own breakfast. Ruloff came along and at 11 o'clock Cavasino left him in charge and went downtown. He returned about 12:30 and found nobody in the restaurant. He called and there was no answer. He opened the door to the storeroom and saw Ruloff lying there. He shook Ru-

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JAPAN REPORTED READY TO GIVE UP SHANTUNG LEASES

SOME OF OFFICIAL EXCHANGES OF JAPAN AND U. S.

Notes and Figures Show How U. S. Naval Experts Determined 5-5-3 as Navy Ratio.

TABLES GIVE STRENGTH OF NAVIES

Explanation Given of Estimate of 600,000 Tons as Total of Her Sea Forces.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—The Associated Press is able today to present some of the official figures involved in the exchanges between the American and Japanese experts over the "5-5-3" ratio proposal and the Japanese counter claim for a "10-10-7" status.

In submitting their original questionnaire to the American experts asking for explanation of the Hughes proposal on seven specific points, the Japanese officers included this question:

"Explain the relation between the replacement ratio of '50-50-30' and the existing ratio of '60-50-30' respectively of Great Britain, the United States and Japan."

This was supplemented by the inquiry:

"Explain means by which the existing strength of the British navy has been calculated at 600,000 tons."

America's Answer.

In answer the American experts said:

"Although Great Britain has not laid the keels of her four new Hoods, and the Japanese have not laid the keels of the Takao and the Atago, they have spent money on all. In order to be entirely fair, therefore, these ships were included in the lists of their respective nations with the consequent increase in their relative strengths. When this was done, the tonnage measure of naval strength between the United States and Japan was as follows:

"United States, 1,118,650; Japan, 588,800. Ratio, United States, 100 per cent; Japan, 53 per cent."

As to the "60-50-30" existing strength ratio calculation the American answer explained:

"The war conditions caused Great Britain to suspend her building program. In consequence her ships are relatively older in type than those of the United States and Japan. This fact was considered in alloting her 604,000 tons for the present, but the standard allotted her on replacements was 500,000 tons."

In explaining, as asked by the Japanese, the method of calculation of existing strength, the American experts said that the bases taken were keels actually laid down as of Nov. 11, the date of the opening of the conference.

The further explanations given above, however, show that this was not held rigidly against Great Britain and Japan in the American plan, but only against the United States. Money spent by Great Britain and Japan on ships not yet laid down was figured into the existing strength of those navies, but not into American existing strength.

The Japanese experts also required a specific list of the ships of the United States and Japan on which the calculation of existing strength was based, the degree of completion allowed for each ship building and asked whether differences in methods of figuring tonnage used by the three nations were allowed for in the calculations. This information was supplied in the American reply with the assurance that the tonnage figures of each foreign ship had been recalculated on the American basis to arrive at a fair comparison.

Tables Showing "Relatives."

On the basis of these figures and also using Japanese estimates of Japanese and American strength as

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Spokesman Visualizes Hughes-Balfour-Kato Conference for Press

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.

By the Associated Press.

ATTEMPTING to help reporters get the real light on the naval ratio meeting attended last night by Secretary Hughes, Mr. Balfour and Baron Kato, a delegation spokesman suggested today it might be easy to visualize it.

"How would this do?" he asked:

"After they sat down it is very probable that Mr. Balfour said: 'Now look here, Baron, suppose certain measures were taken for Japanese security, wouldn't it be possible for Japan to be satisfied with the ratio outlined by Mr. Hughes?'

"'That's interesting,' Baron Kato doubtlessly replied. 'But let's see.'

"Then Mr. Hughes said that so and so and so and so might be done, to which, in our visualizing, we might hear the Baron reply: 'Now that makes quite a difference. Again let's see what you do suggest.'

"In other words you see that while some great men were sleeping yesterday after tea the three statesmen were on the job. If I were writing the story I would say quite positively that efforts were being made to settle questions so and so on such and such grounds."

SUPREME COURT KILLS SENATORIAL REDISTRICTING

Decision Knocks Out Changes Under Bill Drawn by Hyde, Becker and Barrett.

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 3.—The Supreme Court en banc today entered an opinion of Judge W. W. Graves knocking out the senatorial redistricting promulgated April 16 last by Gov. Hyde, which was drawn up by Hyde, Secretary of State Becker and Attorney-General Barrett, all Republicans.

In the opinion, the court was divided along political lines, Chief Justice Blair and Judges Woodson and Walker, all Democrats, concurring, and Judges Higbee and Elder, Republicans, dissenting.

The action was taken in consideration of the suit of Arthur C. Lashly, Democrat, former Prosecuting Attorney of St. Louis County, who sought to compel the Secretary of State to receive and file his certificate of nomination as a candidate for delegate to the constitutional convention from the old Twenty-fifth Senatorial District, which included the counties of St. Louis, Franklin and Gasconade.

The decision ordered Becker to receive and file Lashly's certificate.

The principle point of the decision is that the court holds that the initiative and referendum amendment, adopted in 1908, repealed by implication a part of Section 7, Article 4, of the State Constitution, which gave to the three executive officers of the State the power to redistrict the State in the event that the Legislature failed to do so.

GANZ' MUSTACHE REVIVES

Rudolph Ganz, conductor of the Symphony Orchestra, who shaved his mustache last summer because, as he explained, it kept getting in his way when he was mountain climbing in the Alps, has for several weeks been permitting it once more to appear. It has by now regained nearly all of its pristine effulgence.

"Kansas City demanded it," he said today. "The orchestra plays in Kansas City, and I have to have a mustache to please the people there."

JAPAN CANCELS GERMAN ORDERS

By the Associated Press.

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 3.—The Nieuwe Courant says that Japan has canceled large orders for armor plate and barbed wire in Germany.

OTHER POWERS AGREE TO RETIRE FROM LEASED AREAS IN CHINA

British Offer to Quit Wei Hai Wei, France to Withdraw From Kwan Chow Wai; Japan Would Discuss Quitting Manchuria—China Expected to Meet Conditions.

JAPAN TO ACCEPT 5-5-3 NAVY RATIO

Agreement to Depend on Satisfactory Arrangements on U. S. Fortifications in Pacific and Issues in Far East.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Another important point in the Far Eastern discussion of the armament conference was won today by China in the committee of the nine Powers, Great Britain, Japan and France agreeing to retire from much of the leased territory of China.

Japanese representatives, it was said, agreed to give up their leased territorial holdings in Shantung and also were reported as offering to discuss retirement from their special territorial privileges in Manchuria.

The offers from Great Britain, Japan and France are understood to have been made contingent on fulfillment of conditions which China was expected to meet.

M. Viviani, for France, expressed willingness to retire from Kwan Chow Wai, the French leased territory.

British spokesmen, it was said, followed with a proffer to give up the British leased territory of Wei Hai Wei.

Next Meeting Wednesday.

The committee on Far Eastern questions adjourned until Wednesday because of engagements of delegates and to give time for subcommittees to prepare work for the full committee. Many of the delegates expect to accept invitations to hear President Harding address a joint session of Congress Tutsday.

In the agreements for relinquishment of leased territory in China, France today paved the way with an initial offer regarding her leased territory. Great Britain followed with the offer regarding the British territory of Wei Hai Wei and Japan then made her proposals regarding Shantung and Manchuria.

The discussion of disposition of leased territories is expected to be renewed Wednesday, with general expectations of an ultimate agreement greatly to the benefit of China.

French Declaration.

The French delegation presented the position of the French Government to the committee in a declaration reading:

"After having taken note of the request presented by the Chinese delegation Dec. 1, the French delegation declares that the Government of the republic is ready to assist itself with the collective restitution of the territorial leases in China with the understanding that the principle being admitted and all private rights being safeguarded, the conditions and details of the restitution will be regulated in accords between the Government of China and each of the Governments interested."

JAPAN TO ACCEPT 5-5-3 NAVAL RATIO WITH RESERVATIONS

By CHARLES MICHELSON,
A Special Washington Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—The capital ship controversy is virtually at an end, Secretary Hughes, Baron

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IN CITY CIRCULATION THE DAILY POST-DISPATCH EXCEEDS
The Daily Globe-Democrat by Approximately 50,000—The Daily Star by Approximately 60,000—The Times by Approximately 100,000

JAPANESE DEMAND HALF INTEREST IN SHANTUNG RAILWAY

Chinese Reply at Their Conference That Such a Project Could Not Be Accepted.

SESSION GETS RIGHT DOWN TO FACTS

American and British Observers Question Conferees, and Are Themselves Interrogated.

By CHARLES MERZ,
A Special Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.
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WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Measured in terms of actual achievement, the first Shantung discussion, held yesterday, got nowhere. Three Chinese met with three Japanese. They talked about the Shantung railway. The Japanese declared there could be no settlement unless Japan received a half interest in the line. The Chinese replied that such a project could not be accepted. Then the conference adjourned.

Measured in broader terms, however, the session established three important facts. In the first place, it indicated the line the Shantung conferences will follow. There was no fencing across the table about "principles." The Japanese did not go back to the beginning and point out that it was their troops who drove the Germans from Shantung. The Chinese did not attempt to argue the point that their country's declaration of war against Germany in 1917, automatically restored to China all Germany's rights and privileges.

"Facts" Taken Up.

Instead of attempting to get "principles" established, the two delegations sailed directly into "facts" and they began at the head of the list, with the most important fact which the Shantung issue raises—the question of the railway. They did not get far with it. Each delegation simply reiterated what its own Government has already stated. But it is significant that an attempt was made to test out two conflicting opinions on one specific point, without first attempting to debate broad principles to govern the whole question. This does not mean that either delegation has abandoned principles.

The Japanese hold to their ideas about what the Versailles treaty conferred on them, and what China agreed to do about Shantung, in the treaty based on the 21 demands. And, on behalf of China, Dr. Wellington Koo declared immediately after the session that "in entering into these informal discussions, we do not wish it to be inferred that China has changed its attitude about the treaties—either the one made at Versailles or the one based on the 21 demands."

"Principles" have not been thrown overboard. They have simply been stowed away temporarily, to take a sounding into "facts."

"Observers" of Conference.

A second result of the day's developments, in this Shantung question, was a demonstration of a very genuine sort of American and British "observation." The two American and two British observers sit at the same table with the delegations. They are frequently asked questions themselves. Most important, these four observers are editing the minutes of the meetings. In case of possible disagreement there will be a nonpartisan record of what happened, for the benefit of the two Governments which tendered their good offices.

In the third place the day's developments cast some light in the way the Chinese delegations regard these Shantung discussions. Thursday there was a demonstration on the part of Chinese students and newspaper correspondents, against "direct negotiations." Yesterday the two groups staged a second demonstration, adopting resolutions which called for the immediate withdrawal of China from these discussions and submission of the Shantung questions to the conference itself. These resolutions were presented to President Harding and Secretary Hughes.

In the view of the chief Chinese delegates themselves all this activity is uncalled for. At the close of yesterday's meeting, Dr. Koo declared: "What is taking place, in our view, is not direct negotiations. The conversations are really in the nature of an informal conference around a table. What ever is done will go back to the conference, we believe, and into that part of the conference report. It would be straining the meaning of the word to call these conversations 'direct negotiations.'"

Protests by Cable.

Dr. Koo did not attempt, however, to suggest that the students, in their hostility to direct negotiations, were misrepresenting the Chinese people.

There is some talk in Washington about the irresponsibility and impudence of "mere students." Those who have visited China, however, have a somewhat more subetantial idea of the influence of this group. It was very largely "mere students" who forced the Pekin Government not to accept the treaty of Versailles and who organized, with the merchants, a nation-wide boycott against anything Japanese.

PEACE or WAR?

Studies at the Washington Conference
By H. G. WELLS

Alliance of at Least America, Britain and Japan Imperative for Peace and Security in the Pacific.

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.

THE futility of the idea of limitation of armaments or any limitation of warfare as a possible remedy for the present distresses of mankind without some sort of permanent settlement of the conflicts of interest and ambition which lie at the root of warfare has grown clearer and clearer with each day's work of the Washington conference.

And the conviction that no permanent settlement is conceivable without a binding alliance to sustain it also grows stronger each day. For security and peace in the Pacific an alliance of at least America, Britain and Japan is imperative, and Britain cannot play her part therein unless Europe is safe, also, through a binding alliance of at least France, Germany, Britain and America. To arrest the economic decadence of the world a still wider bond is needed.

So the inflexible logic of the situation brings us back to the problem of a world alliance and a world guarantee, the problem of which the League of Nations was the first attempted solution. The conference is being forced toward that ampler problem again, in spite of the severe restrictions of its agenda.

"League" and "Association."

"After President Wilson's "league" comes President Harding's "association." Senator Borah, in alarm, emerges from the silence he has hitherto kept during the conference to declare that this "association" is only another name for the "league." On that we may differ from him. Association and league are alike in seeming to organize the peace of the world, but in every other respect they are different schemes, differing in aims, scope and spirit.

The primary difference is that, while the league was a very clearly defined thing, planned complete from the outset, a thing almost as precise and unalterable as the United States Constitution, the Harding project is a tentative and experimental thing, capable of great adaptations by trial and corrected error, a flexible and living thing, that is intended to grow and change in response to the needs of our perplexing and incalculable world.

The Harding idea, as it is growing up in people's minds in Washington, seems to be something after this fashion: That the present conference shall be followed by others having a sort of genetic relationship to it, varying in their scope, in their terms of reference, in the number of states invited to participate.

A successor to the present one seems to be already imminent in the form of a conference on the economic and financial disorder of the world. Such a conference probably would include German and Spanish, and possibly Russian representatives, and it might take on in addition to its economic discussion any issues that this present conference may leave outstanding.

Discussions by Notes.

These Washington conferences, it is hoped, will become a sort of international habit, will grow into a world institution, in which experience will determine usages and usage harden into a customary rule. They will become by insensible degrees a world parliament with an authority that will grow or decline with the success or failure of the recommendations.

One advantage of having these experiments made will occur at once to those who have been present at the plenary sittings of the present conference. The method of trial and error will afford an opportunity of working out the grave inconveniences of the language difficulty.

It is plain that, with only three languages going, French, Japanese and English, proceedings may easily become very tedious; there is no true debate, no possibility of interpolating a question or a comment, no real and vivid discussion. The real debating goes on in notes and counter notes, in prearranged speeches, communications to the press representatives, and so forth. The plenary sessions exist only to announce or confirm. They are essentially ceremonial.

In any polyglot gathering it seems inevitable that this should be so. The framers of the League of Nations constitution with its council and assembly seem to have been far too much influenced by the analogy of single-language governing bodies in which spontaneous discussion is frequent and free. World conferences are much more likely to do their actual work by translated correspondence and by private sessions of preparatory committees, and to use the general meeting only for announcement, indorsement and confirmation.

Need of Permanent Commissions.

But the preparatory committees are only the first organs developed by the conference. Certain other organs are also likely to arise out of it, as necessary to its complete function.

Whatever agreements are arrived at here about either the limitation of armaments or the permanent regulation of the affairs of China and the Pacific, it is clear that they will speedily become seed-beds of troublesome misunderstanding and divergent interpretation, unless some sort of permanent body is created in each case, with very wide powers entrusted to it by the treaty-making authorities of all the countries concerned, to interpret, defend and apply the provisions of the agreement. Such permanent commissions seem to me to be dictated by the practical logic of the situation.

Quite apart from the later conferences that President Harding has promised, a standing naval armament commission and a Pacific commission with very considerable powers to fix things seem to be a necessary outcome of the first Washington conference.

But these two commissions will not cover all the ground involved. This conference cannot leave European disarmament and the Euronean situation with its present ragged and raw ends. Nothing has been more remarkable, nothing deserves closer study by the thoughtful Americans, than the fluctuations of the British delegation at this conference with regard to a Pacific settlement. I see that able writer upon Chinese affairs, Dr. John Dewey, comments upon these changes of front and hints at some profound disingenuousness on the part of the British.

The European Situation.

But the reasons for these fluctuations lie on the surface of things. They are to be found in the European situation. Britain, secure in Europe, unthreatened on her Mediterranean routes, can play the part of a strong supporter of American ideals in China. She seems indeed willing and anxious to do so—in spite of her past.

But, threatened in Europe, she can do nothing of the sort. She cannot extend an arm to help shield China, while a knife is held at her throat. So the Pacific is entangled with the Mediterranean and the coasts of France, and it becomes plain that a peace commission for Europe is a third necessary consequence of this conference, if this conference is to count as a success.

Suppose now that this present conference produces the first two commissions I have sketched and gives way to a second conference with an ampler representation of the European Powers, which will direct its attention mainly to the reassurance and disarmament of France and Germany and Britain, a second conference whose findings may be finally embodied in this third commission I have suggested, and suppose further that an international debt and currency commission presently gets effective work, surely we may claim that the promised association of the nations is well on its way toward crystallization.

Simply and naturally, step by step, the President of the United States will have become the official summoner of a rudimentary world parliament.

By the time that stage is reached a series of important questions of detailed organization will have arisen. Each executive commission, as the successive conferences bring these commissions into being, will require in its several spheres agents, officials, a secretariat, a home for its archives, a budget. These conferences cannot go on meeting without the development of such a living and continuing body of world administration, through the commissions they must needs create.

"Loose World Empire."

Presumably that body of commissions will grow up, mainly, in and about Washington. If it does it will be the most amazing addition to Congress conceivable; it will be the voluntary and gradual aggregation of a sort of loose world empire round the monument of George Washington.

But I do not see that all these commissions and parliaments need sit in Washington or that it is desirable that they should. A world commission for land disarmament might function in Paris or Rome, a world commission for finance in New York or London. And meanwhile at Geneva, or in Vienna, to which place there is some project of removal, the League of Nations, that first concrete realization of the American spirit, will be going on in its own rather cramped, rather too strictly defined, lines.

It also will have thrown out world organizations in connection with health, with such world interests as the white slave traffic and so forth. It will be conducting European arbitrations and it will be providing boundary commissions and the like. And somewhere there will also be a sort of world supreme court getting to work upon judicial international differences.

Now this, I submit, is the way that world unity is likely to arise out of our dreams into reality, and this partial, dispersed, experimenting way of growth is perhaps the only way in which it can come about. It is not so splendid and impressive a vision as that of some world Parliament, some perfected league, suddenly flashing into being and assuming the leadership of the world. It will not be set up like a pavilion, but it will grow like a tree. But it is a reality and it comes. The association of nations grows before our eyes.

And, meanwhile, there is an immense task before teachers, writers, before parents and talkers, and all who instruct and make and change opinion, and that is the task of building up a new fellowship to all men, the dream of a great world, released forever from the obsession of warfare in which all races and all kinds of money will be free to make their distinctive contributions to the gathering achievement of the race.

RATHENAU SAYS BRITISH ATTITUDE IS "REASONABLE"

German, Conferring in London With English Bankers, Says Only Moratorium Can Save Germany.

OFFER GOODS FOR REPARATIONS

Germans Contend Further Drain in Money Will Have Depressing Effect on All Europe.

By JAMES M. TUOHY,
London Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch and New York World.
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LONDON, Dec. 3.—What follows may be taken as the first authoritative statement of the case for a reparations moratorium as it is being presented by Dr. Walter Rathenau, former German Minister of Reconstruction.

He has put it up to British financiers, and through them to the British Government, to prove his contention that further reparations payments on the present basis will result in total economic collapse in Germany, with most serious after effects on the whole of Europe.

That Dr. Rathenau has succeeded in his object is indicated by the fact that members of his mission privately characterize the British attitude as "very reasonable." The Finance Committee and the Cabinet are now engaged on revision of the reparations agreement.

Without asking for a reversal of the Upper Silesian decision, Dr. Rathenau is pointing out that the partitioning of the industrial area of the province completely alters the reparations situation. His argument is that the transfer of this most raw material and equipment from Germany to Poland makes fulfillment or the indemnity terms impossible for even the most most willing Government. Efforts to enforce the terms, he asserts, can only hasten German bankruptcy.

British Impressed by Argument.

British bankers, more interested in German than in Polish solvency, have been also impressed with this further argument, since the Silesian decision was made, German exchange has depreciated more than 200 per cent, while the Polish mark has scarcely recovered at all.

The partitioning of Upper Silesia is forcing Germany to increase her imports. The present reparations scheme depends on a balance of exports over imports. Germany must export still more because her carrying trade has largely passed into foreign hands and because investments of her citizens abroad have been confiscated.

Before exporting for reparations she must export to pay for essential imports of food and raw materials and the amount of the preliminary export increases in inverse ratio to the depreciation of the mark.

Rathenau's Summary.

As Dr. Rathenau sums it up:

"To export 10,000,000 marks for reparations payments we have to export a total for all purposes of at least 20,000,000."

As a result these exports under forced draft are cutting severely into English, foreign and domestic markets.

So far Germany has been able to endure the artificial stimulation forced upon her, and most of the ill effects have fallen on her rival exporting nations; notably nEgland.

"We are progressively and inevitably getting deeper and deeper into the slough," is the way the German delegates to London express the situation.

They assert that even if Germany should by some means be able to meet the payments due in January and February, the effect of that effort would be ruinous for what is left of international trade in Europe.

Dr. Rathenau has said that a large scale of foreign credits to cover reparations payments shortly due are necessary. While he feels such measures provide only a temporary breathing spell, unless accompanied by provisions enabling Germany to pay in goods instead of cash, this breathing spell is imperative.

British Would Save Markets.

English financial circles agree continued high pressure at the present time would be almost fatal to Germany. However, they are anxious to evolve some plan that will prevent Germany from ruining British markets by large scale, cheap production. This feeling is behind the scheme, propounded a few days ago by the Federation of British Industries, whereby priority shares of stock in German industries would be distributed among the allies. This would enable the Entente "to exercise considerable influence over the development and direction of German trade."

It is known some variant of such a plan, with adequate compensation to the present leaders of German industry, would not be altogether unacceptable to the big industrials of the Stinnes type. But the German delegates declare any attempt to place German industry in the hands of British or French capitalists would meet with most determined opposition from German labor.

Dr. Rathenau will remain in London until the beginning of next week in the hope of being able to hammer out a foundation for some constructive scheme.

German Mark Slips Back to 240 for a Dollar

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.

BERLIN, Dec. 3.

THE dollar is back today at 240 marks, because of the realization that a reparations moratorium exists principally in the German mind. It took as little to make Germany believe the moratorium is not coming immediately as it did yesterday to make the country believe it was.

Speculators threw away fortunes on the Bourse on what seems destined to become known as "Black Thursday." It needed only Sir John Bradbury's interview, the first expression from the reparations commission on which he is the principal British delegate, to show how small is the likelihood of reparations relief until the January 500,000,000 gold marks are paid. These remain unpaid, as do the 91,000,000 gold marks due yesterday. Germany is negotiating in Paris today about these.

Reparations Commission Sends Firm Note to Germany.

By the Associated Press.

PARIS, Dec. 3.—According to the Temps, the Reparations Commission has sent the German Government a firm note, demanding a definite reply to its recent communication regarding the payment of 500,000,000 gold marks due as reparations Jan. 15 and of 275,000,000 gold marks due Feb. 15.

The commission some time ago "asked to be informed on this question," and, having received no reply, decided unanimously to ask Chancellor Wirth in a note what Germany intended to do.

The note, says the Temps, declares the commission is persuaded that Germany's present difficulties are financial rather than economic and that the fall in the value of the mark was due to the failure of the German Government to take timely steps to balance the budget. It strongly urges the German Government to take, without delay, the necessary steps to restore the financial situation.

JAPAN TO ACCEPT 5-5-3 NAVY RATIO WITH RESERVATIONS

Continued From Page One.

Kato and A. J. Balfour got together yesterday afternoon and ironed out nearly all the difficulties. My understanding is that Japan accepts the 5-5-3 ratio provisionally.

That is, she agrees to it with qualifications and reservations that make it dependent on satisfactory arrangements in negotiations on other problems.

This, while removing the capital ship issue from the crisis class, leaves it open so that Japan may take another whack at it if there is difficulty in reaching a satisfactory arrangement as to American fortifications in the Pacific or if the Chinese and Siberian controversies take a turn to her liking.

Moreover, the agreement is subject to validation by the Government at Tokio. As it requires several days to get word to and from the Japanese Government, no announcement may be looked for until the middle of next week. The indications are that there will be a plenary session next Thursday, at which this tentative agreement will be officially announced.

The following official communique was issued:

"Arthur J. Balfour, Admiral Baron Kato and Secretary Hughes met at the State Department this afternoon and had an extended interview with respect to the naval proposals. No comment on the interview can be made at this time."

Hope for Christmas Recess.

Another contingency that affects the provisional concord has to do with the Anglo-Japanese alliance, which is said to have figured largely in yesterday's conference among the "Big Three." Apparently the alliance is to be permitted to lapse. Its place will be taken, not by any direct three-nation agreement, as England originally proposed, but by a series of understandings between the United States and Japan, the United States and England and England and Japan.

All told, everybody is feeling cheerful, and again we hear delegates express the view they will be able to go home by Christmas. This home-going will be in the nature of a recess rather than an adjournment, for there have been certain developments on the Pacific and Far Eastern side of the conference which involve a report by a commission that is to go to China to investigate China's capacity for administering various functions and concessions that are expected to be surrendered to her by the Powers.

This commission is due to report in April and as it must have somebody to report to, the obvious deduction is either that the conference will reconvene at that time or a new conference will be called into being.

Success Virtually Assured.

Last evening's session of Hughes, Balfour and Kato, if the above summary is correct, virtually assures the success of the conference in accomplishing its main purpose. None of the participants will go beyond an admission that provisional, though most important, results were arrived at.

The cheerfulness is less apparent among the Chinese than among the others, probably due to the agitation of the Chinese students and the receipt of indignant messages from the irreconcilables of the republic on whom anything approaching direct negotiations with Japan produces much the same reaction as a mention of the League of Nations does on Senator Borah.

Big progress has also been made in the consideration of the Pacific and Far Eastern problems.

The communique issued yesterday announces reference of the question of foreign troops in China to the permanent subcommittee on draft, which meets this afternoon.

As against the meagerness of the official report, I am told Balfour opened the session of the Pacific Far Eastern committee by pointing out the impossibility of dealing with the question of restitution to China of administrative integrity without first ascertaining whether the Chinese Government was competent to administer the concessions to be restored.

Proposal for Commission.

Therefore, he proposed that a commission be appointed to examine the whole subject of the administrative integrity of China. This commission is to be composed of representatives of all the nine Powers represented in the conference, and is to be charged with determining whether China is in shape to take back the various functions now being exercised by foreign Powers and when she might do so.

According to the same information, M. Viviani for France and Senator Schanzer for Italy, heartily approved this departure and it was resolved to send an international draft commission to China. Today the commission is to give a mandate to the experts who will compose the traveling body, with instructions to report the results of their investigation.

As the traveling alone will consume two months and it will take equally as long to conclude their researches on the other side of the world, they can hardly report before April. This is really a bigger thing than its recital conveys, for it practically takes out of immediate consideration by the conference all the big Chinese questions except Shantung.

This is recognized to be the gravest problem of the lot. But with China and Japan finally sitting together and Hughes and Balfour standing by to help them over the hard corners, this also seems to promise an early and complete settlement.

Purpose Is Investigation.

In connection with the sitting of the traveling commission in Pekin, it must not be assumed there is any purpose of imposing any international guardianship on China. They go merely to investigate and while it must be assumed their findings are morally certain to be adopted by the conference, China will have to be listened to in the final determination Apparently this commission must go into the whole fabric of the present Government of China.

The Japanese in particular insist political conditions over there are such as to preclude the withdrawal of all foreign troops. For example, they point out the revolutionary Canton Government exercises authority over more of the republic than does the Pekin Government, and that neither is capable of controlling the Military Governors, who are supreme in many provinces.

The question is also raised about the surrender of the customs until it is shown one central government is capable of getting these revenues and expending them for governmental purposes. These are only two of the responsibilities that would seem to be vested in the commission proposed by Balfour.

Nothing more is looked for in the development of the limitation of the navy until after the next plenary session. Lord Lee is going to Baltimore for a week-end and Balfour will depart today to attend dinners and other functions. He will not be back in Washington until Wednesday.

We hear less and less about the association of nations that figured so largely in the news a few days ago—too largely, according to indications at the White House. It was stated there that the question of extending representation at the arms conference to additional countries is one for the conference itself to decide after it has accomplished something and finished the work laid out in the agenda.

Something of the President's attitude on the manner in which the American press has treated the conference was disclosed yesterday. He believes that while the press has done much that was exceedingly helpful, some stories have gone out from Washington that were of no value to the papers, but which added to the difficulties of the American delegates. He considers it inevitable that some things should be magnified because of factionalism and that some groups should attempt to picture a revival of the League of Nations, with the United States entering through the side or back door.

It was stated with some emphasis that the administration has no intention of going into the league through either.

Warship Ratio Question Left in Kato's Hands by Tokio.

TOKIO, Dec. 3.—The Government has decided to leave the ratio of warships entirely in the hands of Admiral Baron Kato for decision and has communicated to him to that effect, according to apparently authentic reports here. This development was given publicity prior to the receipt of news dispatches from Washington containing an announcement by Prince Tokugawa on the same subject, and followed on the heels of extended press discussions on the question of the warship ratio, which on the part of some of the lesser journals had become almost abusive.

The Jiji Shimpo, arguing for the allies, says:

"The pending ratio will, after all, be insignificant when a proper understanding is reached on the form of agreement for the maintenance of peace in the Pacific."

The Asashi Shimbun believes that an entente superseding the Anglo-Japanese alliance would eventually grow into an association of nations, which would be welcomed by all the world and would not be inconsistent with the League of Nations.

The Yomi Uri Shimbun regards Baron Kato as 70 per cent military man and 30 per cent diplomat. The newspaper is in sympathy with a strong fight for a higher ratio, but reminds him of the serious disadvantage to Japan if the conference is a failure, and warns him not to push the contention to the breaking point.

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HEARST-BRISBANE FIGHT AGAINST DISARMAMENT BECOMES MORE VIOLENT

Opposition Increases in Newspapers They Control as Association of Nations Plan Develops.

From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—The attitude of the Hearst papers, all of which supported President Harding in the campaign, toward the arms conference seems to differ in degree of hostility as the talk for an association of nations becomes more or less confident. From the beginning this group of papers, under the guidance of Arthur Brisbane and William R. Hearst, has been in opposition to any conference with any nation of Europe or any agreement that would lessen the military power of the United States. But when it began to look as though Secretary Hughes intended to try to organize an association of nations which would ultimately absorb the League of Nations, the Brisbane-Hearst opposition became more violent and Mr. Brisbane, in his "Today" editorial featured daily on the first page of the American and numerous other papers throughout the country who buy the column, began to admonish the President that his great majority in the last election was solely a protest against the League of Nations and this country would not have that under any circumstances.

"Spread-Eagle" Editorial.

At the beginning of the conference Hearst wrote a "spread-eagle" editorial, signing it "Americus," which was sent out as a letter of instructions to his editors and printed and commented upon in all of his papers. This editorial protested against any alliance of any kind with any other nation of the world, with "decaying Europe" or "decayed Asia."

The opposition is carried on more by quiet insinuations against the good faith of England and Japan, especially, but of all the other nations when the cartoonists take a hand in it. It is not nearly so virulent, however, as the fight against the League of Nations.

Phillip Francis, the Hearst editorial writer credited with most of the anti-British editorials in the Hearst papers, is at Washington as an editorial correspondent and the tone of his dispatch has always questioned the good faith of both England and Japan.

In his dispatch printed Thursday morning Francis made the surprising statement that the British library of information at 44 Whitehall street, this city, was merely a headquarters for British propaganda in this country, and that its director, Cuthbert Hicks, had by mistake sent to him a letter intended for L. F. Rushbrook Williams, who is with the Prince of Wales in India.

Williams' duty, Francis avers, is to manufacture propaganda showing the beneficence of British rule in India. In the Williams note, sent by mistake to Francis, the latter states, Hicks was informing Williams that he (Hicks) had sent Francis a sarcastic note, accompanied by one of the Williams articles on India. The letter then went on, Francis avers, and instructed Williams to search carefully in India for evidence of Japanese activity in stirring up the Indians against England. Francis used the incident to support a claim that England is seeking one of three objectives: First, an alliance with the United States to wipe Japan off the map; second, a triple agreement between the United States, England and Japan for the control of the East, or, as a last alternative, a tighter alliance with Japan in the hope that together they could whip the United States and have the East to themselves.

Editorial in American.

This is an excerpt from the American's editorial Saturday:

"What has the armament conference accomplished? One thing, and one thing only—it has committed the United States to the reduction of its naval forces. It has obtained from the United States a pledge to reduce the power of the American navy, to forego any opportunity for naval supremacy, to accept for 10 years this country's naval inferiority to its naval rivals in the Pacific.

"Only that and nothing more. It is represented from Washington as a diplomatic victory. Another such victory and this country will be sunk below the level of a second rate Power."

Quotations From Hearst Newspapers Cause Disturbances in Japan.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

TOKIO, Dec. 3.—Cables printed in Japanese newspapers quoting Hearst newspapers and other journals in the United States that seek to defeat the plans of the Arms Limitation Conference, have caused considerable political disturbance in Japan. These cables create the impression in some quarters that most Americans are anti-Japanese and have resulted in some loud demands in the Japanese press that the delegates from Tokio insist on the acceptance of Japan's naval program.

RULING ON WAR BOND INTEREST

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Interest on Liberty Bonds held by corporations is exempt from the corporation income tax of the new revenue law under a formal ruling issued last night by the Internal Revenue Bureau.

"Under the revenue act of 1918," the ruling said, "interest on Liberty Bonds held by corporations was exempt from the corporation income tax and such interest is also exempt from the corporation income tax under the revenue act of 1921. Liberty Bond interest, however, when distributed in the form of dividends, remains subject to surtaxes in the hands of the stockholders in the same manner as other dividends. There appears to be no reason to expect that the new law will give any encouragement to the corporations to own Liberty Bonds for the purpose of avoiding surtaxes, but if any such attempt should be made, the law provides ample means for dealing with it."

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LE MARS, Ia., Dec. 3 Francis Wrenn, forme at Akron, Ia., accused 15-year-old girl in he girls' schools, was found terday by a jury after deliberation. Sentence passed Dec. 10. Ethel complainant.

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Joint Arbitration Committee Begins Preparations for Referendum on 20 Per Cent Cut.

SEVEN OTHER POINTS TO BE VOTED ON

Ballots to Be Marked "Yes" or "No" on Each Proposition—New Scale Effective Jan. 1.

The Joint Wage Arbitration Committee of the Building Trades Council and the Master Builders' Association, which has been holding conferences on a proposal of the builders to reduce wages so that large building projects now being held up by high costs may be started as the first means to provide employment for thousands of idle workmen, met again yesterday and began preparations for the referendum by which the Building Trades Council Wednesday night agreed to submit the proposed 20 per cent wage reduction to the various unions.

After several hours' discussion of the whole situation, it was decided to meet again Tuesday to draft the form of ballot. In the meantime the Master Builders will put their proposal in concrete form for final approval by the union leaders before submitting it to the referendum.

Director of Public Welfare Cunliff, who has been representing the public in the conferences and who made an independent survey, following that of the Post-Dispatch of Nov. 8, showing large projects in excess of $15,000,000 being held up by high costs, attended the meeting and approved the action of the committee.

Vote "Yes" or "No."

It has been definitely agreed that the building craftsmen in the referendum shall be asked to vote "yes" or "no" on the direct proposal to change the basic wage from $1.25 to $1 an hour, a reduction of 20 per cent, and "yes" or "no" on their acceptance or rejection of the following seven principles involving working conditions as a whole.

1. That there shall be no limitations as to the amount of work a man shall perform during his working day.
2. That there shall be no restriction of the use of machinery or tools.
3. That no person shall have the right to interfere with workmen during working hours.
4. That the use of apprentices shall not be prohibited.
5. That the foreman shall be the agent of the employer.
6. That workmen are at liberty to work for whomsoever they see fit. In turn they shall demand and receive the same wages agreed upon by the Joint Board in this trade under all circumstances.
7. That employers are at liberty to employ and discharge whomsoever they see fit.

Any new scale adopted will become effective Jan. 1, 1922, and continue in effect until March 1, 1922, and before March 1 next new agreements shall be entered into with the various unions.

Scales to Be Revised.

The ballot shall also set forth that for such crafts as have already accepted reduced wages and those crafts that did not receive their proper quota of advances, a revised scale commensurate with the reduction recommended for the men receiving $1.25 an hour shall be later established by a joint committee of the unions and employers.

F. W. A. Vesper, president of the Chamber of Commerce, expressed gratification at the progress being made by the joint committee of workmen and contractors, and added:

"In the event that a reasonable conclusion is reached, the Chamber of Commerce, through all its departments, particularly the industrial, will lend every possible effort to encourage building at the earliest practicable moment."

10 Per Cent Increase in Building Contracts in New York.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Building contracts awarded here during the first 11 months of the present year amounted to $48,473,000, or 10 per cent more than in the entire year of 1920, the F. W. Dodge company, construction reporters, announced today. Sixty-five per cent was for residential building.

FORMER PRIEST FOUND GUILTY OF GIRL'S CHARGES

Sentence on the Rev. Father Francis Wrenn of Akron, Ia., Will Be Passed Dec. 10.

By the Associated Press.

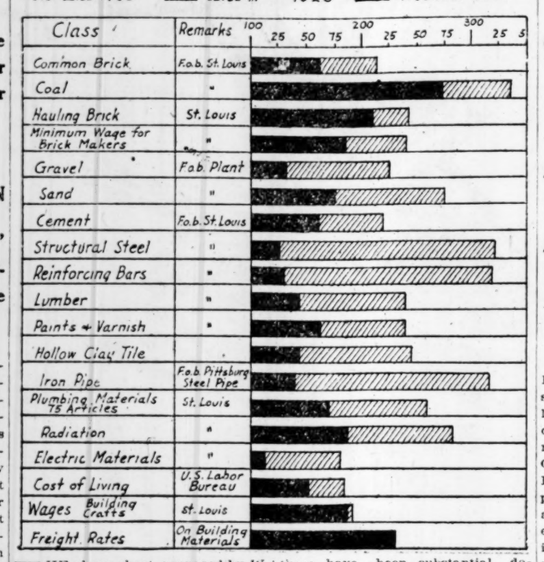
LE MARS, Ia., Dec. 3.—The Rev. Francis Wrenn, formerly a priest at Akron, Ia., accused of attacking a 15-year-old girl in her room at a girls' schools, was found guilty yesterday by a jury after four hours' deliberation. Sentence will be passed Dec. 10. Ethel Bray was the complainant.

The penalty under the Iowa law cannot exceed 20 years. Wrenn is 50 years of age.

Chart Showing Decline in Prices of Building Materials From the Peak

COMPARATIVE PRICES ON BUILDING MATERIAL IN ST. LOUIS

1913 PRICE LEVEL = 100 — MAXIMUM PRICE LEVEL IN 1920 — PRICE LEVEL IN OCTOBER 1921



THE above chart, prepared by W. L. Wimmer, a contractor, showing the decline of building material prices in St. Louis from the peak of war levels, was submitted by the contractors Tuesday evening at the meeting of the Building Trades Union leaders and master builders as an argument in favor of lower wages to promote a big building program in the interest of the unemployed.

The chart also shows that, while there have been substantial decreases from the high levels in building material prices, wages, which increased 90 per cent since 1913, are off just about 2½ per cent, and high freight rates also remain at the high level of wartime. The rise in building costs is dated from 1913, taking that year as 100 per cent; the black portions showing present day prices as of October last, and the shaded portions the high levels of war time.

12 SURGEONS OF CHICAGO DECIDE NOT TO AID DR. LORENZ

Orthopedic Specialists Say They Don't Like Publicity Attending Vienna Man's Work.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Twelve orthopedic surgeons here issued a joint statement today declaring they would not co-operate in receiving Dr. Adolph Lorenz, the Vienna surgeon, who is expected to visit Chicago soon. It was announced unofficially that a number of Chicago hospitals had decided not to invite Dr. Lorenz to their clinics.

The statement said that the American medical profession looked with disfavor on newspaper publicity of the type Dr. Lorenz has received, and added:

"Such publicity inevitably will arouse a response amounting to hysteria, which will bring so many unfortunate cripples of all sorts—so many incurables—that careful, deliberate examination of their ills will be physically impossible and bitter disappointment will come to many hopeful sufferers led to expect the impossible.

"The public does not realize that the first operation, or treatment, in a deformity case is only the beginning and few surgeons are willing to take upon themselves the responsibility and trouble involved in giving the post-operative care, which may last several months or years, in cases which have been operated on by someone else."

CITY READY TO GREET GEN. DIAZ THIS AFTERNOON

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give to the General as a donation for the benefit of Italian war orphans. It is expected that an additional 25,000 and perhaps 50,000 lire will reach the committee before the General's arrival, so that the planned total 100,000 lire ($5000) will be reached.

Tomorrow's Celebration.

Tomorrow's celebration will open with a parade at 9:15 a. m. of the 24 Italian societies carrying their brilliant banners, from Columbus Square, Tenth and Carr streets, to St. Borromeo's Church, Twenty-ninth and Locust streets, where Gen. Diaz and his party will attend mass. The route of the parade will be east on Carr street to Ninth, south to Washington avenue and west to Hotel Statler, where automobiles carrying the General and his party will fall in at about 10 a. m.

The procession then will go west on Washington avenue, to Twelfth, south to Locust and west to the church.

A mass meeting for the Italian colony will be held at 3 p. m. in Moolah Temple. The fund for the Italian orphans will be increased by the sale of medals commemorating his visit to the public at $1 each.

The purse for the orphans will be presented to the General at a dinner under the auspices of the Italian committee at Hotel Statler at 6:30 p. m. The General will depart at 9:30 p. m.

The members of the General's party are Gen. Marcello Kennedy de Zucca, acting chief of staff of the Italian armies; Col. M. C. Buckey of the United States Army; Maj. Giovanni Coconi, Capt. Carlo Huntington and Lieut. Carlo Ruipoli.

The chairman of the Citizens' Committee is James E. Smith. The members of the Italian committee are: C. A. Randazzo, G. Gluseffi, Mariano Costa, Paul Calcaterra, Ignazio Riggio, Angelo Rollo, S. Aspromonte, Mariano Balsamo, Vincenzio Italiano, Vito Viviano, V. Selveggi, Cosimo Zerilli, Bernado Favoloro, Vinco Bommarito, S. Castelli, F. Di Paola, Joseph Lumaghi, P. Copolino, N. d'Amico, Enrico Zarbarini, A. Giffanti, C. Landicina, S. Giorgi, P. Ceresia, F. Buffa, G. Mangiupanello, Dr. C. Avigini, Emilio Maganza, Giuseffa Spezia, R. Italiano, V. Parisi and A. La Fata.

MAN SLAIN IN RESTAURANT WAS FRIEND OF EGAN

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loff and asked him what was the matter, but there was no answer. He went out and looked for a policeman, but found none and then telephoned to police headquarters.

A negress who cleaned up the place told the police that Ruloff was there when she left at 11:30. Robert Harris, a negro, who lives at 1321 Gay street, across the alley from the restaurant, said he heard shots about 1 o'clock.

An inquest was begun this forenoon, but was adjourned to Monday to give the police a chance to investigate further. Capt. Stinger and other police, and A. Richard Treutler, who was calling on Capt. Stinger when the telephone call came, told of what they found when they arrived at the scene.

Eight men have been arrested on suspicion. One of these was Samuel Rutstein, 1027 North Eleventh street. Policeman Dolan, who arrested him, testified that Rutstein told him he saw Ruloff go into the restaurant shortly before 1 o'clock and a few minutes later Rutstein crossed the street and tried the door and found it locked. When Rutstein was put on the stand he refused to testify without the advice of counsel, on the ground that he might incriminate himself.

History of Hot Springs Case.

Ruloff and three other men entered a leading hotel at Hot Springs, Ark., in March, 1919, when the Hot Springs race meet was in progress, and robbed New York bookmakers of approximately $8000. They entered the hotel through the main lobby and took the elevator to the fourth floor, where the bookmakers were counting their money in their rooms. They fired several shots as they entered the room and while one covered the bookmakers the other gathered up the money. With drawn revolvers they forced the elevator girl to lower them to the lobby and walked through the lobby to the street with revolvers drawn.

Ruloff and James Berger were arrested two blocks away. A large part of the stolen money was found on them. The other men escaped. When Ruloff and Berger went to trial their defense was that they had been victims of a crooked dice game in the bookmakers' rooms and had resorted to force to recover their money. A mistrial resulted. On the second trial both were convicted and schtenced to 15 years each in the penitentiary. They served about a month and were pardoned by acting Governor McFerrin. The pardon created a furore there and McFerrin was scathingly condemned by Circuit Judge Wood.

When Ruloff was arrested, Detective Sheller says, he was released on bond signed by Tom Kearney and Henry ("Kid") Becker, at the behest of Egan and State Senator Kinney. Depositions in support of his application for a pardon also were signed by Egan and Kinney, Sheller says.

Pay Cut for 12,000 Shoeworkers.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—An immediate cut of 10 per cent in the wages of 12,000 New York City shoeworkers and additional cuts of from 1 to 5 per cent, to take effect May 1, 1922, were announced today by a board of arbitration.

INVESTIGATION OF EGAN'S CONSTABLE ACCOUNTS STARTED

Comptroller Desires to Ascertain How Much of $32,000 on Deposit at Bank Belongs to City.

AUDIT TO EXTEND OVER EIGHT YEARS

Amount in Question Not Included in the Appraisal Placing Slain Politician's Estate at $97,500.

An investigation of William T. Egan's constable accounts has been started by the City Comptroller, following discovery that Egan, Democratic City Committeeman, who was mysteriously murdered by gangsters Oct. 31 in front of his saloon at 1400 Franklin avenue, had $32,000 on deposit at the Mercantile Trust Co., in addition to his inventoried $97,500 estate. The $32,000 was not included in the Public Administrator's inventory because it had been deposited by Egan as Constable and not as an individual.

To determine just how much of the $32,000 belongs to the city the audit will extend back through the eight years that Egan was Constable in Justice of the Peace Gazzolo's court at 620 Chestnut street.

Disclosure Causes Surprise.

The disclosure that the Constable account amounted to $32,000 occasioned considerable surprise, as it is a matter of general knowledge that a Constable's official bank account seldom exceeds $1500 or $2000. The money handled by a Constable in a Justice of the Peace Court consists of execution of judgments and fees charged in connection with services rendered in carrying out the processes of the court. The Constable's compensation is limited to $4500 a year, and all over that amount collected by him belongs to the City Treasury.

As litigation in such courts never involves more than $500, and litigants usually are in a hurry to collect judgments rendered in their favor, the amount credited to Egan's Constable account is regarded as exceptionally high.

The Public Administrator has taken the position that all money in Egan's constable account over the amount which may be due the city belongs to his estate, and, accordingly he has made demand upon the Mercantile Trust Co., to surrender to the estate the surplus. Counsel for the Mercantile Trust Co., say that the Public Administrator's instructions will be followed, as he is a public official, under bond to render an accurate accounting of all estates handled by his office, and that, therefore, the trust company feels that it is dealing with a responsible person.

Balance to Go to Estate.

When the City Comptroller has completed his audit the entire account will be transferred to the Public Administrator who, after deducting the amount due the city, will apply the balance to the estate.

Claimants to Egan's estate are of the opinion that when the Comptroller's audit is completed the estate will be increased by at least $30,000, which would bring the total to approximately $127,500. They base this calculation on the assumption that not more than $2000 of the constable account belongs to the city.

Assuming that claimants' estimate is borne out by the Comptrollers' audit, there remains the question of why Egan deposited personal funds in his constable account. In view of the fact that he carried a current account in his own name at the Mercantile Trust Co., which, at the time of his death, amounted to more than $33,500, his most intimate associates say they are unable to reason why he should have carried nearly an equal amount in his constable account.

Hearing in Probate Court Tuesday.

More than 20 witnesses have been directed to appear in the Probate Court next Tuesday, when the application of Egan's sister, Mrs. Mamie Woelfel of 4551 Arlington avenue, for the removal of the Public Administrator and her petition to be appointed administrator in his place come up for hearing. As has been told, Egan left no will, so far as the Public Administrator has been able to ascertain, and James Egan, 16 years old, of 3605 Page boulevard, claims that he is Egan's son and only heir to the estate.

Mrs. Woelfel, who alleges that James Egan is not her brother's son, has summoned the Rev. Timothy Dempsey, pastor of St. Patrick's Church, where James Egan was baptized, as a witness to bear out her contention.

James Egan will not present the record of his baptism as evidence because he has been advised by lawyers that such a record would not be accepted as proof for the reason that William T. Egan was not present at the baptism. However, he has summoned a dozen witnesses, who, he asserts, will testify that he is the son of William T. Egan. In addition, he claims, he will be able to prove that recently, when he was summoned into the Juvenile Court as a neglected child, William T. Egan interceded for him and informed the Court that he was James Egan's father.

FRANCE DENIES RIGHT TO LAND TO C. W. MORSE

Minister of Interior Issues Order Which Compels American to Return to United States at Once.

WILL SAIL ON THE PARIS MONDAY

Financier Had Cabled Washington for Permission to Remain Abroad Until January—Issues Statement.

By the Associated Press.

PARIS, Dec. 3.—The French Ministry of the Interior today issued an order denying Charles W. Morse the right to land in France and requiring him to return to the United States on the first available steamer, which would be the Paris, sailing Monday from Havre.

Issuance of this order was confirmed in a letter from the French Foreign Office to the American embassy. The Interior Department has the right to refuse entry to any foreigner whom it judges undesirable.

The representations in the case made by the American embassy were regarded by the Interior Department as ample reason for its action. Ordinarily the case would require protracted negotiations, occupying probably two or three weeks.

The embassy cabled the Washington authorities that in view of the Interior Department's action Morse could be expected to arrive at New York aboard the Paris on that liner's next trip.

HAVRE, Dec. 3.—Charles W. Morse, American financier, cabled Attorney-General Daugherty today, asking permission to delay his departure for the United States until the sailing of the steamship George Washington, on Jan. 5.

Morse was detained by the French authorities on his arrival here yesterday morning, at the request of the American consulate. It was stated his presence in Washington was desired in connection with investigation of his transactions with the United States Shipping Board.

Morse declared that he felt his cablegram yesterday to Daugherty, in which he said he would return to America when wanted, was somewhat vague, and in today's message he asked permission to consult Prof. Ettore Machiafava of Rome, consulting physician to the late Pope Pius, in regard to a necessary operation.

Morse expressed disbelief in the reports that he had been indicted.

"The report of my indictment in connection with the Tunis ship deal," he told the correspondent, "must be unfounded. As I was indicted on that charge more than a year ago in New York State, and the indictment was quashed at the request of the Shipping Board."

(Mr. Morse was indicted May 3, 1920, on a charge that, through an agent, he had sold the steamer John G. McCullough to the Government of Tunis in violation of the law prescribing sale of ship registered under the American laws to anyone not a citizen of the United States without the Shipping Board's permission.)

"Concerning the reports of an indictment charging padding of payrolls at our Groton (Conn.) ship yard, this is also impossible, as full investigation was made by Government officials who reported that there was no padding of payrolls at Groton. Even had there been padding, inasmuch as our contracts with the Shipping Board all provided the delivery of a certain tonnage at so much per ton, the Government had no concern beyond the fulfillment of our contracts, according to the stipulated terms."

Morse appeared in good health and spirits after a good night's rest at the Hotel Continental.

Daugherty Cables to Morse to Take First Boat.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Attorney-General Daugherty last night sent a cablegram to Morse at Havre which read, "I desire you return immediately. Take first boat." Previous dispatches from Havre had intimated that Morse would return on the liner Paris, on which he made the voyage to France.

JURY EXCEPT ONE WOMAN SAID TO FAVOR ARBUCKLE

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of a contention by the prosecution that Arbuckle had a struggle with the girl in the room.

Hundreds crowded the court room and adjoining corridors after the dinner period and the door leading into the jury room was barricaded on the outside by a table and several chairs to keep the crowd away from it.

Arbuckle Nervous.

Arbuckle was visibly nervous and paced in and out of the courtroom in restless fashion. He had little to say. On the few occasions that the bailiff was called into the jury room his hands trembled. His counsel, however, appeared to be without apprehension.

Asked at the cessation of final arguments what his future plans were, Arbuckle said he would make no statement "until the thing is out of the way." He remarked that the final argument of Gavin McNab, or "the old man," as he characterized him, had not been answered adequately. The prosecution reiterated its hope for a speedy conviction.

Alternate Juror Hopkins said that the jury had been watched closer than any other in San Francisco for 25 years. "They censored our mail, both incoming and outgoing," he said. "We each had a separate room at the hotel where we stayed and were watched like hawks by the four Deputy Sheriffs who guarded us. They certainly did their duty well. The newspapers were carefully kept from us. I have no idea of what happened in the world for two weeks.

Trial Started Nov. 14.

The Arbuckle trial started Nov. 14. The main witnesses for the prosecution were Zeh Prevost and Alice Blake, show girls; E. O. Heinrich, fingerprint expert, and a number of physicians and nurses. The medical experts testified injuries to the bladder, such as caused Miss Rappe's death, usually resulted from the application of external force.

The prosecution contended that the injury was the result of an attempt by Arbuckle to attack Miss Rappe during a party in his room in the Hotel St. Francis during the afternoon of Sept. 5.

A technical examination by a medical commission of three appointed by the Court to examine Miss Rappe's bladder showed a condition of chronic inflammation existed, according to the report by the commission to the Court and jury. Gavin McNab, defense counsel, in his closing argument, characterized Arbuckle as "a great artist who has sweetened the lives of millions of little children."

McNab attacked what he termed the "imprisonment" of two prosecution witnesses, Miss Zeh Prevost and Miss Alice Blake, by the District Attorney, "in order to coerce them into giving testimony beneficial to the prosecution's cause." He said that the "forces of law and order should not assume the leadership of a mob, or take its commands from the mob," adding that "had Arbuckle told at the time of his arrest the simple story that he told on the stand, God knows what would have happened to him."

Assistant District Attorney U'Ren referred to Arbuckle as a "Belshazzar sitting on his throne and pouring wine" during the party in the Hotel St. Francis. "Thank God, he has been told, as Belshazzar was told, that his kingdom is divided and his reign it over," U'Ren said.

Arbuckle's Big Car Waits for Him at Door of Court.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 3.—When the jury before which Fatty Arbuckle has been on trial for manslaughter in connection with the death of Virginia Rappe failed to reach a verdict last night, Arbuckle, his friends and counsel were shocked. The big comedian, whose troubles, the first real ones of his life, began with the Labor day gin-and-orange juice party at the St. Francis Hotel, from which Virginia Rappe was carried with mortal injuries, was badly shaken for hours he had waited in anxiety which he could not quite conceal.

The building was invaded by a curious crowd. Judge Louderback had informed the jury that he would wait until 11 o'clock. This decision followed the failure of the jury to reach a verdict in two hours of wrangling that preceded the dinner hour. At 11 o'clock there was no sign of life from the jury room. A deputy sheriff was sent to make inquiries. He returned with the news that a verdict had not been reached and that the jury wanted ten minutes of grace to try again. It tried again and failed.

Reaches for His Hat.

Arbuckle stood up in the brilliantly lighted court room and reached wearily for his hat. Mrs. Arbuckle, who was sitting behind her husband, arose, sat down again, opened her handbag, got out her handkerchief and began to cry. Only Gavin McNab, chief of Arbuckle's counsel, appeared unmoved. The other lawyers looked dismal, but resigned. "I'm not worried," said Arbuckle. "It'll be all right. But I wish they would hurry."

Arbuckle, his sisters, his wife, his counsel and the friends who were with him when he went unhappily through the jammed corridors on the way to his hotel, felt so sure of an acquittal on the first ballot that they were prepared to leave for Los Angeles yesterday afternoon.

District Attorney Brady and his assistants, on leaving court after their final arguments, provided a guard to protect the tragic funny man from cranks who have been sending him threatening letters.

In the final arguments of the trial U'Ren said: "No innocent man would have kept still as Arbuckle did, until he was driven by the collapse of his counsel's case, to stand in this court and tell a story that is obviously untrue. Through perjury and hypocrisy he is seeking his freedom."

Address to Women.

McNab, in addressing himself to the women on the jury, made it clear, perhaps for the first time, that equal rights of citizenship have created a new dilemma for lawyers. Should you appeal to the minds or to the emotions of women in the jury box. McNab appealed proudly to their emotions, to their emotions only.

When the closing arguments was over the lawyers admitted that they had felt, addressing the women of the jury, as if they were talking into a void or appealing to a granite wall. But the jury women toward the last were not merely inscrutible. They were more obviously bored and weary.

Arbuckle's big car, at the end of the trial, was waiting outside at the curb. It was gassed and chauffeured for a swift departure from the scene of trouble. Then when the jury disappeared stolidly to its hotel for dinner, the big car rolled slowly down the street.

After the shock of the first disappointment Arbuckle recovered and seemed to feel better. He loafed for a while in the corridor, when he returned, and smoked cigarettes, leaning comfortably against the wall. "It'll be all right," said he. "I'm not a bit worried now, but I wish they would hurry. That's all that I wish—that they'd hurry."

SOME OF OFFICIAL EXCHANGES BETWEEN U. S. AND JAPAN ON NAVY

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furnished by the Japanese experts in memoranda, the American experts then set out the naval "relatives" of the two Powers in tables as follows of American strength and American estimate of Japanese strength:

	United States.	Japan.
Ships building	346,374	109,392
Ships built	500,650	299,700
Totals	847,024	409,092
Ratio	100 pct.	49 pct.

Second: American estimate of American strength and Japanese estimate of Japanese strength:

	United States.	Japan.
Ships building	346,374	83,320
Ships built	500,650	334,700
Totals	847,024	418,020
Ratio	100 pct.	49 pct.

Third: Japanese estimate of American and Japanese strength:

	United States.	Japan.
Ships building	184,735	83,320
Ships built	500,650	334,700
Totals	685,385	418,020
Ratio	100 pct.	60 pct.

Note With Tables.

The following note was attached to these tables:

"In the tables as given under two and three, the Mutsu is included as of the Japaanes tables as being completed and the Japanese tonnage of incompleted capital ships as given in their memorandum is raised to conform to the American standards of measurements in tonnage."

In connection with the different methods of calculating tonnage, the American answer said:

"The different methods of estimating tonnage values were carefully considered by our bureau of construction and repair. Each ship was carefully gone over and made to reconcile with the American list so that ships of all three navies, United States, Great Britain and Japan, were on the same basis for estimating capital ship tonnage."

The Japanese experts asked for the source of American figures on Japanese tonnage in the original Hughes proposal. They were told these figures were taken from "British lists" and raised to conform to American standards.

Made $500 a Month by Capitalizing Her Baby Boy

Woman Tells of Marrying 16 Sailors and Soldiers and Drawing Allotment Checks.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Federal agents broke up Mrs. Helen Drexler's matrimonial-Government allotment plan just as she was making plans to marry her seventeenth husband in three years, according to her story today to Capt. Thomas I. Porter of the secret service.

By listing as the son of each husband the little boy born from an early experience in matrimony, she added $5 a month extra to the flood of allotment checks she received from the Government, she said. Federal officials calculated she had received $500 a month.

"I was working in Boston when I met Wilfrid Taylor," she related. "The draft got him and soon after landing in France he was killed." Mrs. Drexler's brother also was killed in action overseas and her little boy is Wilfrid Taylor's son.

Had to Work or Marry.

"I had to go to work or get married, so I got married. Several months afterward my husband joined the navy, so I got two allotment checks. John Kelly of the Brooklyn Navy Yards was the next. I left him and married another sailor.

"Dear me, I can't remember all the names. Finally I came to Chicago and married three sailors in quick succession. Albert Drexler, a Camp Grant soldier, was the sixteenth. I had a sailor picked out for the next, but they arrested me."

Trying to Recall Names.

Mrs. Drexler, listed as of Waukegan, Ill., daughter of a Brooklyn (N. Y.) family, admits she is a "nut" on soldiers and sailors, but don't like marines. In her cell at the county jail she is trying to recall the names of 11 of her husbands.

Equipped with one baby and a penchant for hero husbands, Mrs. Drexler, the Government alleges, has collected as high as $500 a month in soldier allotment checks for the past three years. The baby, listed as the child of each successive husband, drew an allotment too.

Although she has retained Drexler's name, there have been at least 11 husbands since him, she estimates. She never obtained a divorce from any, she says.

GRAHAM ESTATE WILLED TO WIFE WHO SHOT SELF

Document Was Based on Validity of Trust Fund Later Invalidated.

The will of Henry B. Graham, paper manufacturer, who was shot and killed by his negro chauffeur at his home at Hampton Park Nov. 21, was filed for probate at Clayton late yesterday afternoon. It left the bulk of his property to his fourth wife, Georgine Shore Graham, who shot and killed herself in the residence two days after his death.

Probate Judge Hodgdon, after the probating of the will, said it probably would have been adjudged inoperative, even if Mrs. Graham had lived, as it was predicated on the validity of a trust fund which has since been invalidated by the State Supreme Court.

The will was made Sept. 21, 1917, at which time Graham's property, valued at about $500,000, was held in trust for the payment of his debts by the American Trust Co. and John E. Bishop. Under this trust agreement the property at his death was to go to his three children, who were to have the income until 25 years old and then have the principal equally divided. In an effort to offset this trust Graham, shortly before making his will, had created a second trust with Bates H. McFarland and Paul V. Janis as trustees. This provided that the property be held in trust for his fourth wife and go to his children at her death. After litigation started by Graham the Supreme Court invalidated the second trust.

The will directed that the property be disposed of in accordance with the second trust, which now has no legal standing. Lawyers yesterday said that while this clause would not be operative, the administration of the estate in accordance with the legal trust held by the American Trust Co. and Bishop, and in view of the death of Graham's wife, would have the same ultimate result as if the will had been effective, as the property will go to Graham's three children.

There is a clause which provides that a separate trust created for his daughter Marjorie, now 19 years old, be carried out. This trust is still in effect and in this respect the will can be executed. The amount in this trust for the daughter is said to be small. The other children are Henry B. Graham III, 10 years old, and Mrs. Dorothy Fields, 21, of Coronado, Cal.

One of the assets of Graham's estate included in the trust sustained by the Court was a life insurance policy of $50,000, which named the son, Henry B. Graham, as beneficiary. The premiums on this policy were paid from the trust fund.

CHURCH NOTICES.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

Subject of the lesson-sermon at each church: "GOD, THE ONLY CAUSE AND CREATOR."

GOLDEN TEXT—I Chronicles, 29-11.

FIRST CHURCH, King's highway and Westminster place, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Reading room, 4026 Delmar boulevard, open daily from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m., except Wednesday, from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Sunday from 10 to 1 p. m.

SECOND CHURCH, 4234 Washington boulevard, 11 a. m.

THIRD CHURCH, 3254 Russell avenue, 10:45 a. m. and 8 p. m.

FOURTH CHURCH, 5560 Page boulevard, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Reading room, 5451 Page boulevard, open daily from 11 a. m. to 9 p. m., except Wednesday, from 11 a. m. to 5 p. m. Sunday, 2 to 5 p. m.

FIFTH CHURCH, Kieskamp's Hall, 3121 South Grand avenue, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Reading room same location, open daily 12 m. to 5:30 p. m. Sundays and all holidays, 2 to 5 p. m.

SIXTH CHURCH, Mount Moriah Temple, Garrison and Natural Bridge avenues, 10:45 a. m.

WEDNESDAY EVENING TESTIMONY MEETING at all of the churches at 8 o'clock.

DOWNTOWN READING ROOM, suite 1003 Railway Exchange Building; open daily from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m., except Wednesday, 9 a. m. to 8 p. m. Sunday, 2 to 5 p. m. All are welcome.

UNION AVENUE CHRISTIAN

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9:45 A. M.—Sunday School.

11:00 A. M.—The concluding sermon of the series, "What Does God Do for Us?" will be given Sunday morning by Rev. Dr. George A. Campbell, pastor Union Avenue Christian Church, Union and Enright ave.

8:00 P. M.—"The First Christian Sermon" will be the subject of the evening sermon.

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Suggests International Bank.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

GENTLEMEN of note, statesmanship and finance are offering suggestions relative to the indebtedness of $10,000,000,000 due the United States by foreign countries. The American people will not consent to the paring down or blotting out of this indebtedness, as the war which created it was at the beginning no part of our war, but incidents which occurred during the war compelled the United States to protect her honor and engage in its defense, thereby protecting the life of England, France, Belgium and Italy, at a cost of more than $32,000,000,000 and the lives of 100,000 of her sons. I have to suggest to the aid of rehabilitment of the financial condition of the countries engaged in the war that the five Governments, the United States, England, France, Italy and Japan, organize an international bank of $5,000,000,000 in gold, or such amount as expert financiers may deem of sufficient magnitude, and to issue an international currency on such a basis as may be deemed safe banking, which shall take precedent over all debts, foreign and domestic, and guaranteed by the countries involved and be a legal tender for all debts, public and private, organized on a similar plan as the Federal Reserve Bank. The home bank could be located in New York and Federal Reserve districts of the various countries. Each country being responsible to the home bank for the currency issued, said currency redeemed in gold at par. I believe it to be the best interests of civilization that Germany be permitted to take part in this organization, as one of its organizers. It is evident there must be something to stabilize exchange and dealings of the peoples of these countries with one another.

NICHOLAS M. BELL.

Jammed Cars.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I AM wondering if the gentleman who stated that the United Railways give their patrons excellent service has ever waited from 20 to 35 minutes after 5 o'clock in the evening for a Page, Wellston or Hodiamont car at Twenty-first street.

It is difficult to board a car at that time—there are not cars enough going west (any number going east), consequently they are jammed to the guards.

For more than a week I have had to be at my office until 5 o'clock, making it about five minutes after before I can get to the street, with the result that I must wait from 20 to 35 minutes before starting the gymnastic stunt of worming my way to the front. Then to find myself glued to one spot with the other patrons, with the car poisoned with the breaths of passengers, inasmuch as a window or ventilator is not and has not been opened all day. Is it any wonder I feel I have taken my place with the other animals in the car?

I am sure something can be done to better these conditions. At least the cars could be ventilated.

"STENOGRAPHER."

Should Report Cruelties.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

ONE who signs himself Humane wants to know if something cannot be done to prevent cruelty to poor beasts. Not as long as people will look at such horrible cruelty and not act. They should report it at once to an officer and demand an arrest, or call the Humane Society, Main 144, and wait until an officer arrives. If these brutal drivers were brought into court and fined heavily, there would be less cruelty. A driver guilty of beating a mule to death with an iron bar should be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

HUMANE WORKER.

Hoosier Finds Us Boors.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I CAME here from a small town in Indiana about a year and a half ago, and as I am returning soon, I want to tell the people of St. Louis, through your columns, that they are so ill-bred it is a pleasure to get back to a hick village.

I have tried to enjoy your theaters and moving picture shows, because where I come from we do not have those things, but the audiences keep up such a clatter it has been impossible to sit through a performance in comfort. I tried vaudeville, but the people, when they happened not to fancy an act, started to talk. It didn't make any difference whether their neighbors might care to listen. If it was a musical act, someone around you volunteered to sing or whistle the tune. Young men and women, instead of renting a room, used the theater to talk over all the things that had happened since the week before.

The moving picture theaters are worse. The orchestra starts to play and if the crowd likes the air it starts to applaud in the middle of it and drowns out the rest of it. You settle back to watch the picture, but a woman and her brood comes in and then you move your seat and get in front of a couple who came to the show to talk, and they suppose the audience came to listen to them. I've tried the good shows and the cheap shows and find you all alike—a lot of boors forcing yourselves on other people, a lot of hogs at their swill.

DISGUSTED.

THE FIRE IN THE REAR.

Chauvinism in Japan is taking its turn in standing against the progress of the world and the hope of mankind for a guaranteed peace. Superpatriotism—which is no patriotism at all but an unscrupulous or stupid exploitation of primitive hatred of the foreigner—is haranguing the Japanese masses, according to the Tokio correspondent of the Post-Dispatch, in an endeavor to create the feeling that the United States is demanding, in an offensive way, the "unconditional acceptance" of the naval ratio, and that Japan is not holding her own in the Washington conference.

"Home politics," says the correspondent, "enters largely into the demands that the Japanese delegates shall press Japan's claims determinedly. The opposition is quite aware that business in Washington cannot be done that way at this time; but they feel that partisan ends here may be served at this time by attacks upon the Government's delegates."

This, then, is what the Japanese Government and its delegates have to contend with. They may desire to consider the proposals of the other nations on their merits and in the spirit of generosity and good faith. But what can be their freedom to act upon this desire when a fire of chauvinistic mob hysteria is being assiduously fed and fanned in their rear?

To her shame the United States cannot look down from a pedestal of sanctity upon what is going on in Japan. Her politicians, actuated by similar motives, engaged in the same game of cultivating false impressions and playing on sinister prejudices in the campaign which made the present conference a necessity if the hope of armament limitation were not to be indefinitely abandoned. Today Hearst's anti-Japanese agitation is being reprinted by the jingo press of Japan and may have been responsible for some of the restlessness and mistrust said to be prevalent there.

Progress toward disarmament may, and we hope will, be made directly, but before peace can be made safe from demagogy there must be a disarmament or moral condemnation of partisanism on international issues in the leading nations of the world. Demagogy is bad enough in domestic politics, but a people can correct at will its own domestic missteps. No people can control the havoc wrought by its partisanism on other nations.

THE MEANING OF BERLIN'S REACTION.

The American dollar's nose dive in the Berlin Bourse, where it dropped 50 points in a hectic day, is viewed here with gusto. Why? Have we lost our regard for the dollar? Do we treasonably rejoice at the calamitous drop of our own money? If not, then how is the paradox to be explained?

There is neither mystery nor treachery in our attitude. The Berlin episode, though, is charged with promise and reproach. If the dollar can fall and the mark ascend on the prospect of a British loan to Germany and the rumored possibility of a moratorium, what would be the effect of a real effort by the nations to assist Germany economically and industrially?

Berlin's spirited reaction to a dim gesture of friendliness goes far to confirm the efficacy of H. G. Wells' remedy for the world's sickness. Wells insists that the purchasing power of the money of various European peoples must be restored and something like the old parity of exchange re-established if the world is to recover its economic health. He admits the difficulty of the problem, but any solution he insists, must be predicated on sincere international co-operation. With the Berlin experience the gloomy, but informed, Britisher might excusably remark, "I told you so."

To retrieve the parity of exchange it is obvious, of course, that the dollar must retreat to normalcy and the franc, lira, mark and ruble advance to old-time values. Could not the statesmanship of world vision have measurably accomplished this already had it fashioned a polity of reconstruction actuated by the enlightened selfishness of good will?

INDICTING THE HORN.

The use and abuse of automobile horns, as discussed in a communication to the St. Louis Safety Council, raises the question whether horns prevent as many accidents as they cause.

The failure of the horn is attributed to the reliance which is placed in it by driver and pedestrian alike, the driver depending more upon his horn than upon his brakes and the pedestrian depending more upon his ears than his eyes. The driver, this writer suggests, considers himself acquitted of caution when he has blown his horn and the pedestrian feels exempted from watchfulness as long as no warning honk is heard.

Now if there were no horns, the writer suggests, drivers and pedestrians would be more careful. Drivers would not take the chance of whizzing past street intersections and pedestrians would stop and look before starting for the opposite curb.

Without agreeing with the quaint conclusion that safety would be promoted by the abolition of the horn, there can be no doubt that if there was less dependence upon it accidents would be less frequent. The driver who blows his horn and takes it for granted that pedestrians will get out of the way and the pedestrian who assumes that the drivers will blow their horns form a strong combination in aid of the doctors and undertakers.

THE GRANDEUR THAT WAS K. K. K.

The story of the present status of affairs—the hirings, firings, collections and deficits—of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan is a touching testimony of vanished glory. Here is an organization which but a brief two months and a half ago was at the zenith of a lucrative career. Today we are told by a squad of ex-goblins, who went to Atlanta to clean house and themselves were "cleaned" out of office, that klansmen are "leaving in droves," that "high-class men" are no longer falling under the spell of imperial wizardry and that the order is actually insolvent, with a debt of $31,000 in one item alone.

Financial bankruptcy apparently had its beginning in a moral bankruptcy precipitated by the unanswered charges against Imperial KIEagle Edward Young Clarke and his business partner and associate, Mrs. Elizabeth Tyler. The moral bankruptcy, of course, was deeper than the cases of these individuals. It was inherent in the genesis and nature of the organization. But this fact might never have been brought convincingly to the surface were it not for the campaign of publicity launched by the Post-Dispatch and New York World.

It was this exposure which is responsible for the troubles that have come upon the klan. Many an honest man who holds a membership token and a few unused and forlorn insignia of heraldry is poorer in cash today than he might have been, but richer in experience, while, thanks to publicity, many another man, still holding his cash, is content to forego the experience.

The undoing of the invisible empire was its visibility under the searchlight of the press.

VANQUISHING DISEASE.

The report from Paris—still lacking official confirmation—that research at the Pasteur Institute has resulted in the discovery of a bacteria-destroying parasite by which whole populations may be immunized against certain diseases, may mark the beginning of an epoch, not only in medicine, but in the existence of the human race. The experiments, as described in the Post-Dispatch Sunday Magazine, have produced quite astounding results.

As remarked by Dr. Opie of Washington University, the profession is slow in accepting such sweeping conclusions. They must first be tried hundreds of times in the furnace of other men's test tubes. Only in this way does the profession safeguard itself and the public against sensational quackery. But it is admitted that there has been inquiry directed toward that specific subject. It is admitted, moreover, that no announcement from Pasteur is to be taken lightly. If confirmation is forthcoming, the effect will be stupendous. Said Dr. Opie: "The importance of any discovery by which whole communities may be immunized against disease, needs no emphasis from me; any layman can see it."

Incidentally, when we turn from observing the mess which amateur bunglers and opportunists have made of our external affairs in this world, it is comforting to know that a vast body of trained men are quietly and systematically going about the business of rescuing us from our internal adversaries.

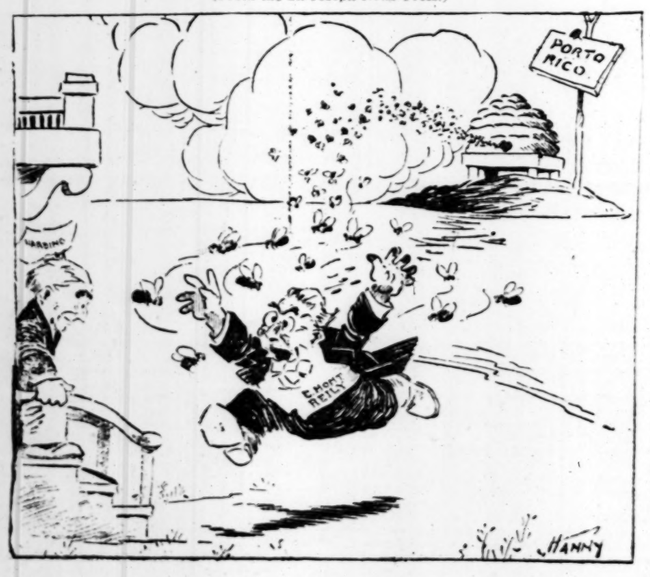
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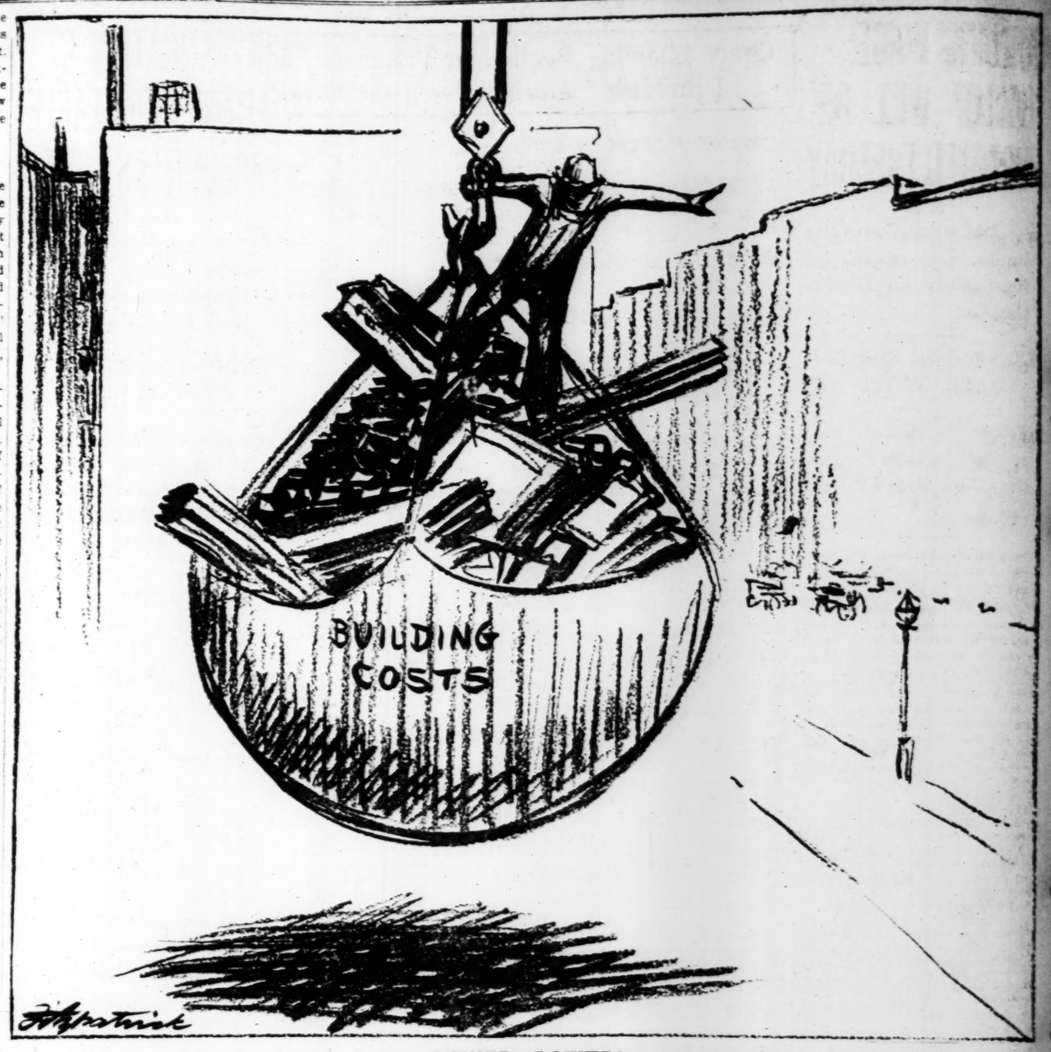
Low hangs the somber cloud of war over Knoebel, Ark., where, once and for all, the issue of "lipstick" and "anti-lipstick" has been joined in harsh and bitter conflict. Anon through the gloom penetrate the shrill slogans of the combatants. "Decency!" trumpets the one. "Liberty!" clarions the other.

This direful state was precipitated, we learn, by the expulsion of Miss Pearl Pugsley from the high school for failing to remove the cosmetics with which her toilette was abetted. The principal was firm. The board was adamant. "No paint and powder in the schools," said they. "No interference with personal liberty," retorted Miss Pugsley, equally resolved. And now Knoebel, once an example of serenity and brotherly love, is divided into snarling, hostile camps, and peace has fled.

Some will be reminded of the momentous issue which estranged "Little Endians" from "Big Endians" in Lilliputia. If sympathy is to be extended either way, it will incline to Miss Pugsley. We confess our failure to apprehend the demoralizing powers of the lipstick. Rather are we persuaded that the school authorities are behind the spirit of the times. This latter is well illustrated by a writer in The Nation, who reports recently seeing a young gentleman of eight months sitting in his baby carriage on a sidewalk in the Bronx, diligently perusing a copy of the "Birth Control Review."

HIS TROUBLES ARE COMING RIGHT ALONG WITH HIM.
(From the St. Joseph News-Press.)





LOWER—LOWER!

JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH
By Clark McAdams

JUST A MINUTE IN WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—How Mr. Wells could get into trouble with anybody mystifies those who have seen a good deal of him here. He is as nice a little body as one ever met. His dark blue eyes are as tender as the summer sky, and the expression about his mouth is all but angelic. It is puzzling to observe him and to realize that he is capable of such sledge-hammer blows as he has from time to time dealt. One misses something Brobdingnagian about his physical makeup—something for which we were prepared by "Tono Bungay"—something we cannot help associating with his recent go at the French. The truth is that Mr. Wells is a bit of a little giant. Like many another hard hitter before him, he steps out of the part the moment you see him. This is a singular quality. When you see Mr. Kipling of whom the French are making so much while they are belaboring Wells, you see precisely the man you have in mind—that is, a pretty fair statesman and a tremendous imperialist—as well as a poet and a teller of tales. When you see Mr. Shaw, another of the contemporaries of Mr. Wells, you see the satirist and the sophist even to the cut of his beard. Mr. Wells, upon the other hand, looks like a bearer of glad tidings and an apostle of sweetness and light. It had been understood before he came to America that he was a professional snob. The newspaper correspondents were prepared to find him aloof and uppish among those of his craft. They were agreeably surprised to discover him just like every other correspondent—quite capable of the camaraderie of the craft, and meeting all his colleagues of the press upon the most pleasant terms of equality. He became very popular because of this, and is popular still. Mr. Wells is really for peace. What he feels about the French is also what many people feel and say. France is armed to the teeth, and she pleads necessity. It is as to her necessity that the difference of opinion exists. We need not fear for him in the controversy. He is capable of taking care of himself. Somebody must have the courage to straighten France out, and Mr. Wells is our huckleberry. He is little, but he can bend the bow of Ulysses.

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A few days ago I spoke of Col. T. Q. Ashburn, who is our intermediary at the War Department in the matter of the Mississippi Barge Line. Some of us were talking about this enterprise, and one of the gentlemen in the group related this interesting fact:

On the great Yangtse River in China there are two Americans operating steamboat lines. Both these lines run up the river to Ichang, which is 400 miles above Hankow, which is about as far from the sea as St. Louis is from the Gulf. We have permitted the railroads to drive steamboats off the rivers of the United States, but American steamboatmen have found other countries in which they can operate their craft. They would be glad to do the same thing here.

There was a curious development in Germany as to this matter of railroads and rivers. Some years ago a canal was built down the Main River from Frankfort to the Rhine. Before the canalization there was a single railroad track upon both sides of the river. After the canalization, which greatly increased the traffic of Frankfort, then become an industrial city and seaport, three railroad tracks on both sides of the Main assisted the river in getting the freight to and from that busy city.

That same thing would happen in the Mississippi Valley, but our railroad people have never seen it. At that, they have been no blinder than we have been, since we have not seen it either. It took the war to knock the scales from our eyes. We have shipped our raw materials out of the valley at great expense to manufacturers, and have then gone to great expense again to get the manufactured product shipped back to us. We have been like the farmer who formerly killed hogs and smoked his own meat. Subsequently he gave up those primitive economies, shipped his hogs to the packers and bought his bacon and ham in town. He let a long line of middle men in on this transaction before he got his meat back from the packers, and every one of them took his bit. It has been so with us here in the valley. We have had the raw materials, the cheap transportation, the way to the sea, the coal, the iron, the food for a great industrial population, and all things made to our hand—but we have done nothing about it. Col. Ashburn is trying to help us do something about it. He thinks the country needs us. What he says about it reminds me of a sign that was seen stuck upon the wall of a cemetery during the war. It said:

> Wake up. Your country needs you.

Col. Ashburn thinks the north and south railroads in the Mississippi Valley are going to be our allies before very long. The Illinois Central has already come in with the Barge Line to re-establish North and South business. It is delivering cars to the Barge Line terminal at Cairo without charge. At Memphis the railroad costs by the time a car gets to the boats are around $15 a car. The city of Memphis is building a belt line to stop that. A favorite trick of some of the railroads which are living in the past as to the Mississippi Valley is to deliver freight to the barges and then give the Barge Line what is left after charging the local rate to the point of delivery, instead of applying the through rate to the transaction.

These railroads have been blinder even than the valley itself. They have helped to kill the port of New Orleans, once the second American port. They have helped to build up the great East and West trade routes, which leave them as mere feeders. Other men with more vision will take their places, and the railroads running north and south will co-operate with the barges to re-establish north and south freights. It will take only time, which corrects most mistakes. This has been a terrible mistake, and grievously have we paid for it, including the railroads. Mr. Dunn, editor of the Railway Age, says that when business revives we shall see the railroads unable to carry the traffic. There will be more business than both rail and water in the United States can handle. The old competitive idea as between the river and the railroad is deader than Caesar. There is no more grotesque figure upon the transportation horizon than the man who doesn't see it.

Col. Ashburn's message to us is one of good cheer. We have something. He wants us to believe in it and stand for it.

"It means something to us all, but most to you people out there," he says. "It would be more than unbelievable if you people did not have faith in it."

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Sign in grocery store, same block:

> Now is time to stock in canned goods is going be high this winter

A large banner sign on prominent West End theater:

> Closed temporary for repairs.

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REVELATION.

THE world and I have had a clash,
I deigned to play its game;
According to life's highest rules—
Fortune and fate is but a name
While scorning petty, sordid things
That eagerly demean;
God rent the curtain for a tithe.
Which cleft I peeped between.

OTTILIE SCHROEDER.

The MIRROR *of* PUBLIC OPINION

This column is designed to reproduce without bias the latest comment by the leading publicists, newspapers and periodicals on the questions of the day.

REILY AND PORTO RICO.

From the New York World.

E. MONT REILY, Governor of Porto Rico, returned yesterday to New York in a ship which is said to have been set on fire by natives of the island, and escaped a hostile demonstration at the pier by landing from a launch. During his four months as chief executive in Porto Rico he has drawn more criticism from citizens of the island territory than has fallen to the lot of all his predecessors in the office. Mr. Reily, it will be remembered, was "the original Harding man of the Middle West." If any credence is to be given to the tales of Porto Ricans, he took with him from Kansas City a type of 100 per cent Americanism which roused particular animosity in the race with which he had to deal. He stated that "Old Glory had come to stay" in Porto Rico and made it plain that his definition of free speech did not include agitation for independence. His lack of sympathy for Spanish culture and the Spanish language was evident in his plan for reorganizing the schools. A steady stream of complaints has followed his inauguration. The complaints may be largely baseless or exaggerated for political effect, but there would hardly be such an outcry without some excuse. Before the administration sends Mr. Reily back to carry out his program of overlordship it would do well to investigate his record in Porto Rico and judge whether or not his Missouri training has fitted him for the post he holds.

THE GOSPEL OF PEACE.

From the Boston Herald.

AT THE dinner in honor of Marshal Foch given by the members of the American Iron and Steel Institute, makers of all sorts of materials for fighting, Charles M. Schwab said:

"I am at the head of the largest war materials manufacturing works in the world. I would gladly accept any financial loss disarmament might inflict; I would see the war-making machinery of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation sunk to the bottom of the ocean, if the statesmen now assembled at Washington under the far-sighted leadership of our President and Secretary Hughes should find it possible to bring about disarmament and permanent peace."

And his hearers cheered him. They accepted his doctrine of the worth of the "inestimable boon that Washington seeks to give the world."

That to date is the outstanding illustration of the attitude American business men, big and small, should adopt toward this conference.

CANADIAN TOWN PLANNING.

From the Columbus Dispatch.

THE planning commission of Oshawa, Canada, recently had before it an application to authorize a new addition to the town. Upon examination it was found that the width of lots in this addition was only 30 feet. Exercising the authority given to it by the recent planning and development act of the Ontario Legislature, the commission refused to accept the addition, and further more adopted a general regulation that hereafter no addition will be approved if the lot frontage is less than 45 feet. This is said by a correspondent of the Toronto Globe to be the first regulation of the kind in Canada, by either a planning commission or a municipal council, but it is not likely to be the last. As a sanitary measure, insuring air and light to the homes of people of small means, it will be of great value. By giving room to play about their houses, it will also reduce the toll of accidents to children from automobiles in the streets. And in the long run, realty dealers are not likely to suffer any serious loss from the restriction. The improved health, beauty and prosperity of the community will bring them their legitimate gain in other ways.

WOMEN VOTERS COME OUT FOR INITIATIVE ON MILK

Three Presidents of League Favor Plan and Predict Working Support of Organization.

"MATTER INVOLVES HEALTH OF ALL"

Mrs. E. T. Senseney Says Issue Must Not Be Settled to Suit Pleasure of Small Committee.

The determination of the Citizens' Milk Committee to invoke the initiative for the passage of the two milk ordinances before the Board of Aldermen, if the board does not act at once, will receive the working support of the League of Women Voters in the opinion of the league's three presidents, Mrs. Eugene T. Senseney, Mrs. E. M. Grossman and Mrs. C. W. Swingley.

Mrs. Senseney, independent president of the league, said today: "I am personally for pure milk. Though the league cannot officially take action except through its executive board, I am certain that the board will agree that an issue involving the health of the community must not go unsettled because of the pleasure of so small a group as the Committee on Public Welfare of the Board of Aldermen, especially in the face of indications of strong public support for the bills.

Views of Women's Presidents.

"I think the City Central Committee of the league, composed of ward and precinct organization workers, will grasp the opportunity of being instrumental in giving the chance for an expression of public sentiment in order that governmental agencies here involved will be more responsive."

Mrs. Grossman, Democratic president, said that she would urge use of the initiative to compel the board to correct faults in the milk supply. Mrs. Swingley, Republican president, said that she stood with Mrs. Senseney on the matter.

Mrs. M. G. Seelig, chairman of the Citizens' Milk Committee, said today that the St. Louis Medical Society had pledged its support to the initiative, together with the Council of Jewish Women, the Consumers' League, the Daughters of the American Revolution, and the College Club.

"Most of Milk Pasteurized."

Mrs. Seelig, referring to a published statement attributed to William M. Chauvenet, a chemist who is a member of the Pure Milk Commission, that the pasteurization of milk would necessitate the development of a new baby food and that pasteurization destroyed vitamines, making it necessary to supplement the milk with medicine, said: "Both those statements are erroneous. Ninety per cent of all milk sold in St. Louis now is pasteurized. Certainly the pasteurization of the remaining 10 per cent would not create a condition described by Mr. Chauvenet.

"No medicine is required to supplement the feeding of pasteurized milk to babies. Frequently physicians find it desirable to add orange juice or the juice of canned tomatoes.

"Dr. George S. Tuttle, president of the Pure Milk Commission, at the last public meeting on milk, stated that he favored the pasteurization of all milk sold in St. Louis, except certified milk, which is only 1 per cent of the total supply. In response to a question, he said he instructed mothers to boil all milk, even certified, to aid its digestive qualities. He said, in response to a question, that boiling destroyed bacteria also, as pasteurization destroys bacteria."

WASHINGTON HOUSE READY FOR LLOYD GEORGE'S OCCUPANCY

English Premier Assured That Residence Is Still Open to Him If He Visits America.

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LONDON, Dec. 3.—The Post-Dispatch correspondent learns that Premier Lloyd George cabled to Washington during the past week inquiring whether the house Guernee Munn had offered to place at his disposal there was still available.

The cable was repeated to Munn, who was in London, it is said, and he immediately went at 10 Downing street to assure the Premier his offer remained open indefinitely. Mr. and Mrs. Munn sailed home on the Olympic Wednesday.

JAMES ENGLISH COWAN DIES

Man, 87, Had Been in Insurance Business 51 Years.

James English Cowan, 87 years old, who had been in the fire insurance business in St. Louis 51 years, died yesterday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. O. G. Selden, 4961 McPherson avenue.

Cowan was born at Apple Creek, Cape Girardeau County, in 1834, and came to St. Louis in 1849. His wife, now dead, was Henrietta Quinette. They celebrated their golden wedding in 1908. Their surviving children are J. Edward Cowan, J. Mortland Cowan and Mrs. Selden.

For many years Cowan was one of the board of managers of the House of Refuge and until recently was on the board of the Salvation Army Rescue Home. The funeral will be at 2:30 p. m. tomorrow, with services at Compton Hill Congregational Church.

NO TUMULTY ARTICLE TODAY

NO installment of Joseph P. Tumulty's book, "Woodrow Wilson as I Know Him," appears in the Post-Dispatch today. The next article will be published in tomorrow's paper.

VENETIAN SCENE AT BALL FOR DEBUTANTE

Miss Dorothy McBride's Party One of Most Colorful Events of Social Season.

Venice, with its lapping waters and gliding gondolas, but without its Bridge of Sighs, furnished the scene for the ball given last night by Mrs. William C. McBride in honor of her debutante daughter, Miss Dorothy McBride, in a large canvas structure adjoining the McBride residence at 29 Washington terrace. Nearly 500 guests were present, and the function was one of the most colorful events of the social season.

Guests, passing through the residence into the coliseum-like canvas house to the west, found themselves standing at the edge of a Venetian canal, with gondoliers beckoning to them, between ballads sung from the prows of their spangled Venetian craft. Most of the guests accepted the invitation to make the circuit of the waterway in one of the six gondolas.

Nothing Forgotten by Painter.

Across an arched bridge, beyond a broad central space, and across another bridge, lay St. Mark's, and to its right, the Doges' palace, pictured on canvas. Not even the pigeons that feed in St. Mark's Square had been forgotten by the painter. On the other sides of the room were the facades of Venetian palaces and the stones of Venice, fresher than in the original, formed into dwellings and official structures, on canvas.

The waters of the canal, far clearer than any that the tides of the Adriatic bear to the real Venice, showed fishes, privileged for once to nibble at whatever might be thrown to them, without the fear that it hid a hook.

The space inclosed by the elliptical canal was covered with a bower of green. Musicians' chairs were in the center, and the raised platform was the central dancing floor for the ball.

Clusters of roses set off corner nooks, where fruits were spread with all the variety of a Venetian market. Ornamental lanterns overhung the canal, and smaller lanterns shone at the front and rear of the gondolas. Street lamps of antique pattern, and brilliant lights with colored shades, were on the bridges and around the dance floor. Over the center flashed a great kaleidoscopic ball. The canvas structure was kept at summer temperature by small gas heaters.

Besides the canvas house, which was 104 by 90 feet, further guest space had been reclaimed from the out-of-doors by the inclosing of the front verandas with canvas. These were similarly heated, were decorated with greenery and roses, and furnished dining and promendade room.

Guests began arriving at 10 o'clock and were received by Mrs. McBride and Miss Dorothy McBride, with Mr. and Mrs. Festus Wade, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Fordyce, Dr. and Mrs. I. D. Kelley, Mrs. Ralph Morriss and Miss McBride's guests, Miss Margaret Lackland Stoddard of Kansas City, Miss Nina Cullinan of Houston, Tex., and Miss Margaret Murphy of Marion, Pa.

Miss McBride's dress was of gold lace over white satin, with draperies of green chiffon. Mrs. McBride wore a crystal and pearl robe.

Dancing began before 11 in the Venetian inclosure, lighted by all the lamps save the kaleidoscopic ball in the center.

At midnight, the other lights were turned off, and the many colored globe began to revolve, and to scatter flakes of light over the dance floor. This was the signal for the debutantes' dance, in which 27 debutantes of the present season, with as many young men, took part.

Description of Debutante Dance.

The debutantes, led by Miss McBride, entered holding satin ribbons, which were attached to the youths prancing ahead of them. The young men wore large paper caps in the form of horses' heads, like those of the famouse bronze group on St. Mark's in Venice.

The debutantes' dance was a fox trot, and it was followed by supper for all, served in the residence, with a special dining room on the first floor set apart for the debutantes and their escorts.

At the table with Miss McBride were Misses Emily Milliken, Mary Etta Randolph, Frances West, Catherine Louise Crunden, Dorothy Simmons, Janet Gregg, Irene Goddard, Elizabeth Bemis, Elizabeth Terry, Mary Denman Clark, Julia Fay Carton, Elizabeth Parker, Mary Scudder Bond, Julia Lee, Florence Leland, Marie Clarkson, Gloria Geisinger, Elizabeth Luyties, Eppes Hawes, Audrey Faust, Carolyn Bailey, Lucy Butler, Frances Clover, Elise Garneau, Elizabeth Cook and Winston Johns, Wayman Allen William Orthwein, Clarence Maloy, Carl Koehler, Sam Conant, Charles Mulliken, Joseph Werner, Ralph Bixby, Asa Wallace, Francis Drew, Edward Slocum, Harry Papin, Loisel Papin, Theodore Benoist, Lansden McCandless, Lannan Benoist, Francis Drew, Maury Hill, Walker Hill, Boyle Rodes, John Johns, Field Goltra, Mahlan Wallace, Charles Niekamp and Campbell Ryan.

Dancing was resumed after the supper, and continued several hours. Musical and entertainment features were interspersed. Many of the guests invited to the ball attended dinner parties before going to the McBride residence.

LUMBERMEN WANT LAKE TO GULF WATER ROUTE

National Association, in Session at Chicago, Asks for Help of Gov. Small.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Directors of the National Lumber Manufacturers' Association, representing the combined membership of 12 regional organizations, yesterday adopted a resolution urging Gov. Small of Illinois to complete immediately the waterways line between Lockport and Utica, in order that Southern lumber may reach Chicago and lake ports by all-water routes, at a great saving in freight costs.

The cost of transporting lumber by rail exceeds the cost of manufacturing the material, the directors said.

The resolution follows:

"Whereas, The Mississippi and Illinois Rivers are the great Middle West water highways, these highways for water transportation are useless unless commodities can be forwarded to all markets in the Middle West territory by water;

"Whereas, The greatest commercial center, Chicago, is cut off from the rivers named because of the uncompleted portion of the lakes-to-the-gulf waterway between Utica and Lockport, Ill. Three locks are also necessary to complete the waterway by which Chicago is reached through the sanitary canal. Unless work is started at once, it will be several years before the commercial interests will realize the benefits thereof;

"Whereas, Southern lumber, with other raw materials, is now denied access to portions of the Mississippi and Ohio Valleys from New Orleans to Chicago, Pittsburg and intermediate territory, excepting through railroad transportation, which adds to the original values because of present high transportation rates;

"Whereas, There is at this time urgent need for the completion of the Illinois waterway and its need is daily being made more apparent; low-grade lumber, such as that used for boxes, crating, etc., cannot now be placed nor used in the markets named, nor reach these markets, because of the present high freight rates which lumber must pay, but could be used if water transportation could be had;

"Whereas, the movement of lumber by water to this district and its economies will go far toward paying annually the full cost of this canal; labor is very much in need of employment and considering the present cost of living could be employed at pre-war wages, while material necessary in the construction work on the waterway is at present on a lower basis, hence, the present is the opportune time to obtain the benefits of the low prices, as well as providing work for a large number of unemployed men.

"Therefore, be it resolved, that this association respectfully urge honorable Len Small, Governor of the State of Illinois, to proceed with this work immediately, starting such legal action necessary that contracts for the completion of the three remaining locks and the digging of the canal between Utica and Lockport may be advertised for letting; that the Middle West and South, southern lumber, and other raw material and products, will receive the benefits of water transportation to the great markets of the above territory."

John Henry Kirby of Houston, Tex., president of the association, and George Long of Tacoma, Wash., chairman of the Forestry Committee, have been directed to attend the hearing at Washington on Jan. 9 of the House Committee on Forest Policy for the United States and co-operate in forming a permanent forest policy.

TAX SIMPLIFICATION BOARD

Members of New Body Named by Secretary Mellon.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Members of the Tax Simplification Board, created by the new revenue act, were announced last night by Secretary Mellon. They are: James H. Beal, Pittsburg; Joseph E. Sterrett, New York, and William T. Abbott, Chicago, appointed by President Harding to represent the public, and Charles P. Smith, Assistant Commissioner of Internal Revenue, and Jesse D. Burks and George W. Skilton, both of the bureau, appointed by Mellon to represent the bureau.

The board is charged with the duty of investigating the procedure and forms used by the bureau in the administration of the revenue laws and making recommendations in respect to their simplification.

Returned Missonaries to Speak.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar E. Strother, returned missionaries from Shanghai, China, will speak tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock to the members of the Sunday school of the Washington and Compton Avenue Presbyterian Church. This church has 2d of its members now actively engaged as missionaries either in this or in foreign lands.

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TENOR AND PIANISTS MAKE RED-LETTER DAY

Charles Hackett Sings With Symphony; Josef and Rosina Lhevinne in Recital.

By RICHARD L. STOKES.

YESTERDAY was a mellifluous day for St. Louis music lovers. In the afternoon, at the Symphony Orchestra concert, Charles Hackett sang like Orpheus himself. He is the American tenor whom Arturo Toscanini, Italy's first musician, has invited to take first roles this season at La Scala, foremost opera house of Italy, the fatherland of tenors. In the evening, also at the Odeon, Josef Lhevinne played the piano with a grace and delicacy no less than mythological. Moreover, with the assistance of his wife, Mme. Rosina Lhevinne, the poetic Russian gave a memorable exhibition of the almost forgotten art of duo piano playing.

It was also a day to be scored in the calendar for its offering of new music. Director Ganz submitted two "first time" pieces. One was a "Comedy Overture" by Ferruccio Busoni, "the man who can imitate every style but who has no style of his own;" in this opus he set himself the task of simulating Beethoven. The other was a frieze of musical gargoyles, "Grottesco," by G. Francesco Malipiero, Italy's leading impressionistic composer; it proved easily the wildest, most cacaphonous and also diverting music ever played in this city.

Lhevinne and Mme. Lhevinne brought forward Rachmaninoff's Second Suite, Op. 17, for two pianos—a happy, melodious and engaging work by a composer often morose, acrid and somber. Their encores for two pianos were at least unfamiliar, if not entirely novel—a Valse by Arensky, and a Gavotte by Raff.

Both Poet and Virtuoso.

Lhevinne played here as soloist with the Symphony Orchestra in the spring of 1920; the memory which he left was that of a colossal technician, with feats at his command which could not be other than the envy and despair of other virtuosos. After last night's hearing that verdict must be revised upwards. He is not at all a mere executant; that formidably trained system of brain cells, nerves and muscles is no end in itself, but a consummate means for the expression of musical beauty.

His tendency as a program maker was to avoid established trails. His opening number was the last of Beethoven's piano sonatas, Op. 111, a work which the writer, in many years of concert going, does not remember to have heard played in public before. It is considered a perfect example of the composer's third period; and it is peculiar in having only two movements, which commentators have labeled "Resistance-Resignation," or else "Sansara-Nirvana."

It was written in January, 1822, when Beethoven was already virtually deaf. Probably he never heard it, save through the clairaudience of the ear of the soul. It is the work of a man past youth—mellow, wise, sad, infinitely sweet and tender, wistfully devoted to beauty.

Rare Communion of Spirits.

There followed a brilliant exposition of Beethoven's variations on a Scotch theme, "Ecossaises," and then the Rachmaninoff number for two pianos. Husband and wife played with a communion of spirit that was uncanny; without exchanging a glance, they agreed not only in tempo, but in all the exquisite minutiae of dynamics and rhythm. Long years of practice together—Mme. Lhevinne became the pupil of her husband-to-be when he was 14 and she 9—may account for something of the miracle; for the rest it is difficult to avoid postulating some species of telepathy.

There was a big audience, which was frankly delighted with what to most of them was the novel art of duo playing. The gifted pair readily gave not only one but two extras, which have already been named.

Lhevinne concluded the program with a group of Chopin numbers, including the ironic and virile Scherzo in C-sharp Minor; Balakireff's "The Lark,"—a most fascinating Etude Caprice by Dohnanyi, and the Schulz-Evler-Lhevinne version of Strauss' "Blue Danube" waltz. His two individual encores were Liszt's arrangement of Schubert's masterpiece, "Hark, Hark, the Lark," and his "Soiree de Vienne."

Three Taxing Arias.

Reverting to the symphony concert, when have we heard such effortless floating forth of voice, such faultless method, as Hackett displayed in his two arias? One was the famous "Il mio tesoro intanto," from Mozart's "Don Giovanni," with its demands for legario and for florid song such as have gained for this number the nickname of "the touchstone of tenors." The other was that impassioned air, "E lucevan le stelle," from "La Tosca." The encore was Gluck's aria, "Spiagge amate," with harp accompaniment by Mme. Ida Delledonne. Like the others, it was sung with fervent expression, loveliness of tone, and artistry of method.

As to the orchestral program, the work as a whole was far superior to that of last Friday afternoon. A first hearing of the Busoni overture left no convincing impressions as to its value and interest. But the Malipiero opus created a sensation. It is exactly what the name announces, a grotesque; resolutely ugly and fantastic, but vigorous and sincere. Who will dare predict, however, that in a decade from now symphony audiences will not accept as commonplace the playing in as many different keys simultaneously as there are instruments?

The principal instrumental work was Mozart's Symphony in E-flat (Koechel 543), in which Director Ganz continued his admirable procedure, inherited from pedagogical days, of making music intelligible and interesting. The program concluded with the Scherzo of Dukas, "L'Apprenti Sorcher," after Goethe's ballad. It must be added that the conductor continues to have difficulty in accompanying singers. There were several hitches in the Puccini aria.

In contrast to the warmth with which the large gathering expressed its approval of the soloists, was the strange coolness with which it received the orchestral numbers. Even the popular minuet in the Mozart symphony stirred only a perfunctory patter of hands. Perhaps tonight, when the entire program will be repeated, will find the audience in a mood less querulous.

SHERWOOD ANDERSON, NOVELIST, AWARDED PRIZE OF $2000

Recognition of Service to American Letters Given Annually by the Dial Goes to Native of Ohio.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Sherwood Anderson, novelist, has been awarded the annual prize of $2000 offered by the Dial in recognition of service to American letters.

The award, the editors of the Dial announced yesterday, is intended "to give practical recognition to excellence, to release a writer from obligations which may interfere with the full exercise of his creative powers and to make up, at least in a small way, for the small financial return and the limited recognition accorded to work of high merit in comparison with the excessive returns made to more popular writers."

Anderson is a native of Camden, O., and lives at Palos Park, near Chicago.

Anderson is the author of "Windy McPherson's Son," "Marching Men" and a collection of poems, "Mid-American Chants."

CONSUMERS' LEAGUE OFFICERS

Mrs. G. R. Dobler Elected President of the Organization.

Mrs. George R. Dobler of 5072 Cabanne avenue was elected president of the Consumers' League of Missouri at a meeting yesterday at Schuyler Memorial House, 1210 Locust street. Other officers chosen were: Mrs. George Dock, Mrs. Charles Nagel, Mrs. A. B. Ewing, vice presidents; Miss Marian Ferry, treasurer, and Mrs. H. C. January, executive secretary.

The league has as its objects the improvement of working conditions for girls and women, fair labor legislation, and the maintenance of sanitary conditions and use of honest materials in garment factories. It was stated at the meeting that satisfactory co-operation has been had with Mrs. Alice Curtice Moyer-Wing, State industrial inspector, in the league's work.

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WOMAN SHOOTS AND KILLS SELF

Mrs. Anna Coates Had Filed Suit to Divorce Second Husband.

Mrs. Anna Coates, 26 years old, shot and killed herself at 12:30 p. m. yesterday at her home, 3811A Easton avenue, as her husband, Daniel Coates, against whom she had filed suit for divorce, entered the house.

In a note to her attorney she directed him to press her damage suit against an ice and fuel company in whose employ her first husband, Fran' Reichardt, was accidentally electrocuted more than a year ago, and turn over to her two children anything that may be recovered. She also requested that her body be sent to her old home at Potosi, Mo., where the children are living with their grandparents.

WRONG IMPRESSION OF DETROIT

"Darn Poor Convention Town," Says Hobo Delegate When Ordered to Leave.

By the Associated Press.

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 3.—James Meredith, who said he had no home, came to Detroit Thursday to attend the convention of the migratory workers. The convention circulars had left him with the impression this was a hospitable city, so he applied at Police Headquarters for lodging. He was accommodated. Yesterday morning he found he was charged with vagrancy. Judge Marsh assured Meredith Detroit was a hospitable city, but requested him to leave.

"Darn poor convention town, I calls it," Meredith observed, as he left the courtroom.

MINISTER BACK FROM BRAZIL

Bishop Moore Tells of Friendliness Toward U. S. in South America.

John M. Moore, Bishop of Brazil for the Southern Methodist Church, who has just returned from his annual six months spent in that country, yesterday visited the Rev. Dr. Ivan Lee Holt, pastor of St. John's Methodist Church, of which Bishop Moore was pastor twelve years ago.

"The South American States," he said, "are more sympathetically inclined toward the United States than ever before. They welcome American business and are glad to have American goods, provided they can pay for them." St. John's Church here gave half of the cost of St. John's Church at Rio de Janeiro, the Brazilians giving the other half of the $20,000 required.

SPENCER DROPS IN AT ALDERMEN'S MEETING

Senator Tells Them There Will Be an Association but That League of Nations Is Buried.

United States Senator Spencer, who went to the city hall yesterday to transfer his registration on the election books, heard that the Board of Aldermen was in session and dropped into the meeting. He was seated on the rostrum beside President Aloe and later made an address. He took up the work of the Conference on the Limitation of Armaments, saying:

"The United States is now the leading nation of the world and the other nations are looking to us for guidance. Out of the Washington conference will come some plan for the preservation of peace. There will be an association of nations, but not a League of Nations, nor anything bearing any similarity towards the League. There's a vast difference between the two. The League bound us to send our army and navy across the sea to settle boundary disputes of other nations. The association would not do that. The League has been buried by the Senate and by the people of the United States."

Medal for Mrs. Hocker.

A resolution was adopted by the Board of Aldermen praising the work of Mrs. Lon O. Hocker, of 39 Portland place, who has been active for a number of years in child welfare work, particularly in the interest of the municipal baby clinics. Two years ago she obtained $1000 apiece from eight St. Louisans, with which a number of the baby clinics, now maintained by the city, were established.

Mrs. Hocker was in the Mayor's office with a group of women who represented friends who had obtained a medal for her in recognition of her services. She was escorted to the aldermanic chamber by Mayor Kiel and the women, and on arrival there the resolution was read to her and the Mayor presented her with the medal, which was of gold.

Expressing her thanks for this "tribute to the realization of ideals we all hold for the city," Mrs. Hocker spoke of the further improvements needed for child welfare, mentioning screened, floating barges on the Mississippi River in summer, for day nurseries; a river-front park for downtown children, more playgrounds, and the use of scales in all schools to find children who are undernourished.

Storage Battery License Bill.

Alderman Hart introduced a bill for a supplementary appropriation of $40,000 for the president's department, Board of Public Service, which is now giving the 160-odd employes enforced vacations of six weeks, without pay, for lack of funds. Other departments have had to adopt similar expedients. It is not expected that this bill will be approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

A bill to charge all concerns which charge or recharge storage batteries an annual license fee of $200 was introduced by Alderman Scholl. A relief bill to pay Blanche Goetz, a city sanitarium patient, $285 for the alleged loss of a fur neckpiece when she was transferred from the city hospital was introduced by Alderman A. H. Niederluecke at the request of an attorney.

ONIONS BREAKING INTO SOCIETY

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Onions are breaking into society and finding their way to the tables of the best families by way of the salad route, it was stated at the annual convention of the National Onion Association here yesterday.

"Their use is on the increase—about 25,000 carloads a year—but there's a shortage this year due to a hot, dry summer," William Bowers, secretary, of Kenton, O., said.

YOUTH ACCIDENTALLY SHOT DIES

Leo Hayden, 16, Wounded by Cousin When Hunting.

Leo Hayden, a 16-year-old high school student, son of Marion Hayden of Wadsworth avenue, Collinsville, died yesterday in St. Mary's Hospital, East St. Louis, from the effects of an injury Thursday, when he was accidentally shot in the calf of the leg by his cousin, a boy named Corlis, when they were hunting on a farm west of Collinsville.

The Corlis boy said the accident was due to the hammer of his shotgun being wet from the rain, and slipping from his finger as he attempted to let it down. He summoned help from a nearby farmhouse, and the Hayden boy was taken in an automobile to the hospital. His death was said by physicians to be due to loss of blood.

Prince at Bikander, British India.

By the Associated Press.

BIKANDER, British India, Dec. 3.—The Prince of Wales arrived here yesterday. He was received at the station by the Maharajah, Sir Gangha Singh. The populace was most enthusiastic in its reception of the Prince during the drive to the Lallgarh Palace.

Truculent Driver Fined $100.

John McDonald, 5363 North Euclid avenue, a candy salesman, admitted when arraigned in Police Court today that he had had a couple of drinks when he drove east on Wells avenue yesterday evening and collided with Hyme Himeler's automobile, standing in front of Himeler's home, 5591 Wells avenue. He attributed to the drinks the truculence which prompted him to demand that Himeler pay the damage. He was fined $100 for careless driving.



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Yesterday (Friday, December 2) the POST-DISPATCH again printed more Home Merchants' advertising than all other St. Louis newspapers—morning and evening COMBINED.

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You will find the printer superaverage in every way. In knowledge of his trade he is trained to the final degree. He must know what he is about instantly and without hesitation. There's no time for experimenting when a customer's supply of catalogs is exhausted.

Since printing is such a combination of the arts and mechanics, you will find that the printer is a man of all around knowledge. He must be well informed and keen of judgment.

This man, like all other Union Printers, is now asking that his agreement with his employer for a new working schedule be enforced. The new schedule, which calls for an eight-hour day with half day on Saturday, is the sensible one when you consider what his job is.

These new hours give him opportunity for the study which alone is responsible for every advance in the printing art. Advance in printing styles and methods is rapid and almost everything as to quality depends upon the skill of the individual worker. And as far as cost is concerned, that isn't going to be increased. For printing production depends on the skill and ability of the worker, and these new hours improve that.

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For seventy years the International Typographical Union has built for the benefit of the printing crafts. It maintains the great Union Printers Home and Tuberculosis Sanatorium at Colorado Springs, provides pensions and death benefits and prepares apprentices through a complete course of instruction. If you would like to learn more about this great progressive organization, address us for the booklet "Facts," which gives you unbiased information in greater detail.

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St. Louis Typographical Union No. 8



Is Every Day a Backache Day?

ARE you dragging along day after day, with a dull, nagging backache? Does morning find you tired, lame and stiff? And when evening comes are you all worn out—barely able to finish the day's duties and drag yourself to bed? Truly life can hold few pleasures when you feel so miserable. But don't be discouraged! Just realize that a cold, a chill, or a strain, has likely weakened your kidneys and brought on that all-day backache; those sudden, stabbing pains; the headaches, dizziness and bladder difficulties. But fortunately, kidney disorders are usually easily corrected, if treated promptly. So don't worry! Simply take things easier for awhile—get plenty of fresh air, rest and sleep, and help your weakened kidneys with *Doan's Kidney Pills. Doan's* have helped thousands and should help you. *Ask your neighbor!*

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SAMUEL KILPATRICK, Prop. Kilpatrick Welding Co., 3425 Lindell Av.

says: "I have been bothered with lumbago every Spring. After sitting I couldn't get up without taking hold of something to assist me, and when getting down into my chair, I had to hold onto the arms of the chair and then go down with a thump. My back pained severely and as Doan's Kidney Pills had been recommended, I used them. Doan's cured me and for the first time in ten years, I did not have an attack of lumbago. Doan's certainly are a great medicine."

MRS. G. GROETEKE, 3911 Kossuth Av.

says: "I felt miserable and all dragged out. I had hardly enough ambition to do my housework. My kidneys were in bad condition. My back was lame and when I first sat up in the morning, I seemed to have a heavy weight across my back, holding me down. A little extra work made this trouble worse, and when a friend recommended Doan's Kidney Pills, I decided to try them. Doan's proved to be just what I needed and gave me permanent relief from the complaint."

JOHN DARRAH, 4209 Blaine Av.

says: "My kidneys were weak and when I took a cold it always settled there. My back began to ache and when I tried to get up after sitting, it proved a difficult matter. Bending or lifting was almost impossible. Doans' Kidneys Pills proved their worth in my case, by strengthening my kidneys so that I have seldom had any trouble since."

MRS. E. WEIDLE, 3917 Cottage Av.

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Doan's Kidney Pills

At all dealers, 60c a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Manufacturing Chemists, Buffalo, N. Y.

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Turpentine Breaks Colds

Break that cold QUICK! Don't sniffle—don't go around with a tight chest or with a cough that racks your whole body. Turpo, the Turpentine Ointment, breaks colds as if by magic. Penetrates down deep and drives colds right out!

Science says that nothing penetrates as quickly as turpentine. New discovery, Turpo, combines all of turpentine's mysterious penetrating power with other wonderful healing agents. With such amazing quickness and thoroughness does Turpo act that when rubbed into the chest or throat a faint scent of turpentine can actually be noticed almost at once on the breath.

Use Turpo tonight—in the morning the cold will be broken up. Turpo also quickly stops bronchitis, pleurisy, lumbago, rheumatic pains, catarrh and neuralgia. Relieves croup and sore throat in almost no time. Turpo will not blister, burn or stain.

BREAK COLDS QUICK with Turpo—the Turpentine Ointment, containing those other old reliables, Menthol and Camphor. Get Turpo today from your druggist—30c and 60c a jar.



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For Colds, Grip or Influenza

and as a Preventive, take Laxative BROMO QUININE Tablets. The genuine bears the signature of E. W. Grove. (Be sure you get BROMO.) 30c.

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Millions of people who despaired of ever regaining their health are loud in their praise for the Famous Bulgarian Blood Tea, which assists nature to produce such a vitalizing effect upon the human system.

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While testifying Miss Clarke gazed into a crystal such as is usually employed by students of the psychic.

MAN WANTED IN KABER CASE CAUGHT IN ITALY

Alleged Slayer of Cleveland Editor Probably Will Be Tried Abroad.

By the Associated Press.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 3.—Vittoria Pisselti, who is said to have stabbed to death Daniel Kaber, wealthy Lakewood publisher two years ago, has been captured in Bipalimosani Italy, according to word received here from two Cleveland detectives. He is being held there pending word from the Italian Ambassador at Washington.

Assistant County Prosecutor Walter Krewson is en route today to Washington to present the facts to the Ambassador.

As there is no extradition treaty between the United States and Italy for capital offenses, Pisselti, probably will be tried in that country. In that event the detectives will remain there and testify against him. In four other instances recently, Italy has refused to send murderers back to this country.

Pisselli is the last of six alleged conspirators in the Kaber murder plot to be arrested.

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CLARKE TEMPORARILY HEADS KU KLUX KLAN

Simmons Goes to Mountains for Health After Firing Four Grand Goblins.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 3.—In the bitter internal war which has split the Ku Klux Klan over the question of the retention or dismissal of Edward Young Clarke, imperial klalif and kleagle, and his business and personal associate, Mrs. Elizabeth Tyler, a decisive success was scored by Clarke yesterday when it became known that William Joseph Simmons, nominal head of the order, left Atlanta yesterday to be absent until Christmas, leaving a brief note putting Clarke in supreme charge of klan affairs during his absence.

According to a statement obtained from his wife, Col. Simmons has obeyed the advice of his physician and gone to the mountains in North Carolina "for his health."

Simmons' sudden departure caused a sensation in Atlanta, already excited over Klan affairs. Harry B. Terrell, one of the four grand goblins who came here a week ago to tell the Imperial Wizard of the crumbling conditions of the klan, made strongly denunciatory charges against Clarke before the kloncilium or supreme governing body of the order and was dismissed in consequence, charged in a statement given to the press that Clarke had ordered Simmons out of Atlanta as part of a scheme concocted by himself and Mrs. Tyler to gain absolute control of the order's "fast tottering" affairs.

Of the four grand goblins who came to Itlanta only Terrell remained in the city today, the others having returned to their respective territories with the announcement that they intended to fight to a finish and give the widest publicity to the events which resulted from their visit.

Counting Grand Goblin C. W. Love of the Domain of the Great Lakes, who resigned in October, five of the six strongest field sales chiefs of the order are now in alienation or open revolt, representing a territory which embraces New England, New York, New Jersey, the District of Columbia and the whole Great Lakes territory west to Chicago. Of the veteran force of sales managers, therefore only Grand Goblin George Kimbro Jr., of the Southwest Domain is left in service.

In his statement, Terrell declared that Ku Klux, Inc., as a business enterprise, was on the verge of collapse.

Democrat on Geology Board.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 3.—John P. Connell, a Democrat, of Glencoe, St. Louis County, who was put forward by Senator Ralph for appointment on the State Highway Commission, yesterday was appointed by Gov. Hyde on the State Board of Geology. Connell is the owner of extensive clay deposits in Franklin, Gasconade and St. Louis counties. Elias S. Gatch, a St. Louis lawyer, and Phillip N. Moore, an engineer of St. Louis, were reappointed to the board for terms of four years. Gatch is a Democrat and Moore is a Republican.

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"My colds never hang on!"

"ALL my colds used to make me a 'shut in,' but no longer, for I take Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey at the first warning of a cold." This standard remedy soon relieves a cold, grippe, cough and hoarseness. Eases tickling in throat. Safe for the little folks too. Get a bottle from your druggist 80c.

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Sample Each Free by Mail. Address: "Cuticura Laboratories, Dept. F, Malden 48, Mass." Sold everywhere. Soap 25c. Ointment 25 and 50c. Talcum 25c. Cuticura Soap shaves without mug.

HANDWRITING EXPERT BURCH TRIAL WITNESS

Garage Employes Tell of Renting Auto to Man Identified as Defendant.

By the Associated Press.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 3.—Examination of Milton Carlson, handwriting expert, by attorneys for the prosecution in the trial of Arthur C. Burch for the murder of J. Belton Kennedy, will be resumed when court opens Monday. At adjournment last night Carlson had compared signatures on certain telegrams with known signatures of Burch and Mrs. Madalynne Obenchain, also under indictment.

Previously signatures of a man identified as Burch had been shown on receipts for the rent of an automobile. In two cases the man had signed "J. L. Jones" and at another time "M. C. Obenchain."

Attendants at one garage said Burch had rented a car the night of Aug. 3 and 4 last, and again on Aug. 5, the night Kennedy was shot. The first time a woman who "looked like" Mrs. Obenchain was with him, according to Richard Parsons, the garage proprietor.

Other prosecution witnesses described Burch's hotel room across the street from Kennedy's offices, and the defense introduced photographs of scenes at Beverly Glen, where Kennedy was shot. There was no session of the trial today.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher, and has been made under his personal supervision for over 30 years. Allow no one to deceive you in this. Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but experiments, and endanger the health of Children—Experience against Experiment.

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More than seventy-five per cent of the elected employee representatives at all plants voted either favorably upon the readjustment or to leave the matter to the management.

Union officials, however, representing only a small minority of our employes, have called a strike.

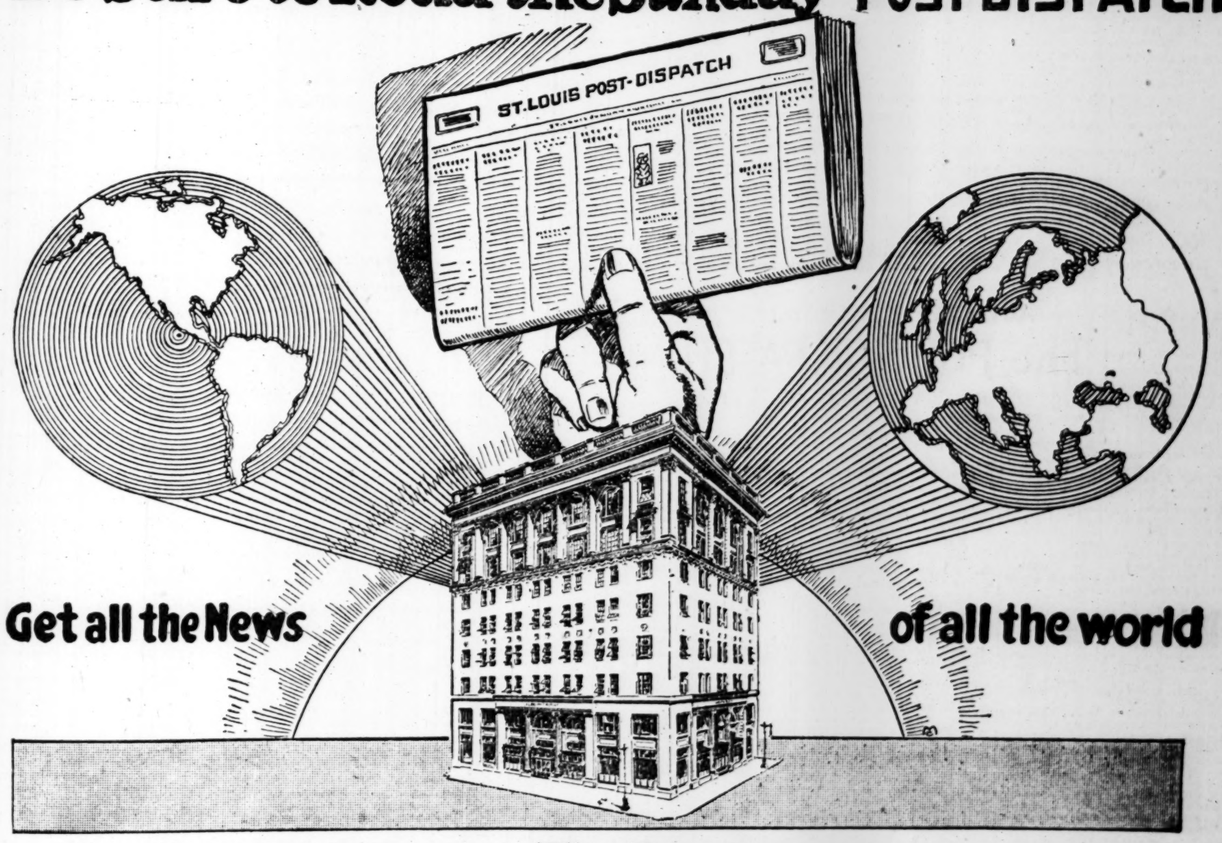
Applicants for vacancies which may occur on Monday, December 5th, should apply to our local plant employment office.

Swift & Company, U. S. A.

On Sunday Morning

What Ever Else you Do—

Be Sure to Read the Sunday POST-DISPATCH



The Rotogravure Magazine

Most Beautiful Woman on the Stage.
Marie Yeritza, Europe's most beautiful singer, who is coming to America. A specially-posed photograph appears on the title page of the Magazine Section.

Pathetic End of Prisoner of Grief.
Solitude, decay and $250,000 in the home of Mrs. Margaret Eastman, who was found dead in palatial old home amid what had been splendor.

Wedding Halted at Altar—in Real Life.
Millionaire's son, about to be married, accused before 2000 guests of being father of Loretta Rodden's little boy, but the marriage was completed.

Nine Centenarians—All Feeling Fine.
Photographs and stories of hale, hearty, happy fellows who have passed one hundred years. They are cheerful and more active than might be expected.

Smaller Navies! How About Armies?
Comparison of active armies, trained reserves, available man power and field artillery of the five leading powers. Graphic illustrations show situation at a glance.

A New Form of Land Swindle.
Starts with a lottery, but there's no chance about it. Contestants are sure to lose. It has not yet appeared in the Middle West.

Probable Origin of Human Race.
Discovery in South Africa may throw new light on origin of human race. Some of the remarkable developments in evolution since Darwin's time.

Jack Frost Not a Bad Fellow.
Cold weather does not retard plant growth, but stimulates it, according to scientists who have conducted interesting experiments. They upset one of our most popular notions.

French and American Styles Compared.
The entire back cover of the Magazine Section is devoted to the illustrations of strikingly beautiful costumes.

The Rotogravure Picture Section

The eight-page Rotogravure Picture Section is full of lively interest this week. Among other artistically-treated subjects are: ¶ Official photograph of the conference in Washington on the Limitation of Armaments. ¶ A page of movie stars, showing their Winter costumes. ¶ The first of the season's elaborate costume balls. ¶ A new type of automobile shown at Berlin auto show. ¶ Artistic photograph of military funeral at Bonne Terre. ¶ When St. Louis U. held Washington's eleven scoreless. ¶ Dr. Adolph Lorenz, famous Austrian surgeon. ¶ Northern Minnesota hunters bagged ten deer. ¶ Surviving members of once dreaded Forrest's Cavalry Squadron. ¶ Scene at Madeira, where former Emperor Karl and former Empress Zita have been sent. ¶ Wood carving of the Lord's Prayer which required a year to complete.

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By E. Phillips Oppenheim

A Series of Fascinating Detective Stories. One Complete Episode Each Week.

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THE SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH

We Note From the Pikeway Football Schedule That the Sooner Team Will Be Around Later

California Turns Down Centre; Now Considering W.-J.

Game With Kentucky Eleven Declined Because Date Proposed Is Too Near Exams.

NEW YEAR GAME LIKELY.

Student Body of Far-Western School Favors Washington and Jefferson.

Three Football Games On Today's Schedule

THREE post-season football games of importance are on the schedule today, as follows:

Penn State vs. University of Washington, at Seattle.

Washington and Jefferson vs University of Detroit, at Detroit.

Tulane vs. University of Alabama, at New Orleans.

Three of the six elevens have gone unbeaten through the season; two of the three meet at Detroit, with Washington and Jefferson having the better reputation and seeming a sure winner.

Penn State, also unbeaten, ought to defeat the University of Washington, which had only a fair season in the Coast League championship.

Tulane has a slight edge over Alabama on the "dope."

BERKELEY, Cal., Dec. 3.—After reaching a definite decision last night not to accept the offer of a football match with Centre College of Danville, Ky., to be played at San Diego Dec. 26, the executive council of the student body, representing the University of California, this morning took up another proposition. This was an offer made by the Tournament of Roses Committee to bring the Washington and Jefferson and the California University football elevens together at Pasadena on Jan. 2.

At the time of convening today the belief was general that the Washington and Jefferson proposal would be favorably acted upon.

The student council last night informed a delegation of San Diego promoters of its decision with regard to Centre.

The reason given was that Christmas examinations at the University of California came so late that, after participating in them the football players would not have sufficient time for training for the game.

W. and J. Accepts Offer.

WASHINGTON, Penn., Dec. 3.—Announcement of the acceptance of the invitation to the Washington and Jefferson football team to meet the University of California Jan. 2, was made last night by President Baker. He has wired university officials at California to that effect.

W. and J. to Depart Dec. 18.

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 3.—The Washington and Jefferson football squad probably will leave Washington, Pa., on Dec. 18 for California, where it has been invited to meet the University of California team under the auspices of the Tournament of Roses on Jan. 3, Coach Neale announced here last night.

Texas Claims Prior Date.

DALLAS, Tex., Dec. 3.—Washington and Jefferson University of Pennsylvania is seeking to cancel its agreement to play a football game with the Texas Aggies here, New Year's day, according to advices fro mthe university.

The Pennsylvania team has received an invitation to play the University of California at the Pasadena Tournament of Roses and is desirous of accepting the offer, it is said.

The California game would conflict with the proposed game here. Every effort will be made to have the Eastern club carry out its agreement to play here which was made by wire on Nov. 22.

DETROIT PLAYS W. AND J. ON RAIN-SOAKED FIELD; BOTH ELEVENS UNBEATEN

DETROIT, Dec. 3.—Football teams of Detroit and Washington and Jefferson Universities went into a postseason contest here today, each prepared for a desperate battle to keep its record clean for the year. Neither team had been defeated and only one, Tulane, had been able to score upon Detroit.

The strongest lineup that could be mustered by either team was slated to start the game.

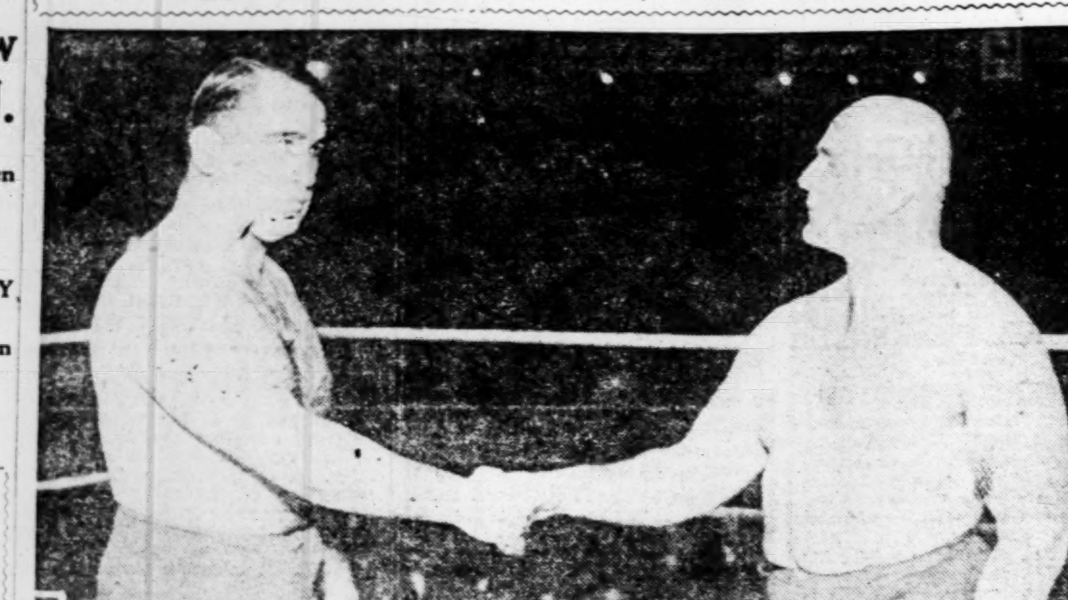
An intermittent rain for the past few days had so softened the Navin Field turf that a game confined solely to straight football was in prospect.

TULANE FACES ALABAMA IN POST-SEASON GAME

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 3.—Tulane's "green wave" that will face the "thin red" line of the University of Alabama this afternoon, will be virtually the same lineup with which she met Centre College, according to announcement this morning. On the othe hand, the Alabama squad, which arrived yesterday, 19 strong, is said to have made several notable improvements in form and material. Capt. Clemons, Cooper and Rosenfeldt, however, still are said to be the mainstays of the visitors. The probable lineup:

Tulane.	Position.	Alabama.
Miska	Left end	Clemons (C)
Payne	Left tackle	Baker
K. Talbot	Left guard	Blackwood
Reed (C.)	Center	Wesley
H. Talbot	Right guard	Hunt
Fitts	Right tackle	Cooper
Ullsworth	Right end	Guarkhart
Maloney	Quarterback	Raty
McBrown	Left halfback	Bartlett
Turpin	Right halfback	Rosenfeldt
Legendre	Fullback	Whittaker

"Condition" Is Different, With Mat Stars



"Strangler" Ed Lewis and Champion Stanislaus Zbyszko.

IF two boxers appeared in the ring, shaped like the above athletes, the crowd would probably begin to hiss. The rotund shapes and evident surplusage of flesh would unquestionably lead to the belief that the men were not in condition.

Furthermore, it is apparent that neither of the men depicted above is in what is known as the prime of life—presumably around 25—among fighters. On the contrary, the champion, Zbyszko, the man on the right, is plainly all of the 42 years he admits. There are some who know him intimately, who claim that 52 would be nearer to the real age of the champion.

In short they contend that his admitted age is no closer to his real age than his mat name of Zbyszko approaches his real name, Cyganiewicsz.

Wrestlers, however, never train for fineness. Their matches last two or more hours, for the most part, and this requires sufficient margin of physical fatness to permit the loss of a considerable number of pounds.

Wrestlers have been known to emerge from a hard bout weighing 12 or 15 pounds less than when they began.

All of which accounts for the seemingly "soft" appearance of the athletes in the above picture.

Three Quints to Make Strong Bid For County Title

Webster, Clayton and University City Start Basketball Season Well Equipped.

With the county high school basketball season opening in less than two weeks, coaches are putting their men through some severe workouts, weeding out the undesirables and whipping into shape "quints" that will put up a creditable fight when the teams are paired off for the first tilts.

At a meeting represented by the eight county schools it was decided to hold the same two-round schedule this year as was played the last season.

Kirkwood is the only school that will have a team made up largely of last year's players. Coach Roberts of Webster will have to build up an entirely new team as Stewart and Payne, the only two regulars left on the five, have been declared ineligible by the school board and will be unable to play this quarter. Roberts will miss the clever basket shooting of Stewart, as he has developed into a great forward. A very large squad has reported to the little coach, however, and he should be able to pick a strong team. Capt. Buchanan, who subbed at the center position last year, is the only man that has earned a regular berth so far.

University City Five Strong.

Coach "Red" Roberts of University City will have a husky bunch and should step forth with a quintet that is hard to beat. Three of his letter men are back this year and a score of hopefuls are out.

Clayton and Maplewood also show up well this season. Coach Hall of Clayton has Wetzel, Stecker and McGrath back this year and also Naley, formerly of Weltson, will line up with the county-seat team this season. Kitchel as guard is the only letter man that Maplewood has to start with. Coach Fischer, however, has a prize in Newberry. He will take the center position. He comes to Maplewood from Soldan High.

Kirkwood does not entertain much hopes this year, being handicapped with a small floor and low court. Team work is impossible and the players are not reporting.

Not much can be said of Wellston as they have been slow in starting their practice. McCreedy, who made the all-star team last year, will be sadly missed. Ritenour will, of course, not be in the running. As Ferguson was not in the league last year its standing will probably not be high.

Today Webster, University City and Clayton seem to be pretty evenly matched and basketball fans in the county should see them in a race for the championship.

WARNER ASSUMES BLAME FOR PITTSBURG DEFEATS

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 3.—In an address to members of the 1921 football squad of the University of Pittsburg at its banquet last night, Coach Glenn S. Warner shouldered much of the blame in explaining the slump of the team this season during which three games were lost.

"I think I may say that I am to blame more than anyone else," Warner said. "Looking back over the season. I realize I have become a little careless.

"We have been winning all along since I came to Pittsburg. I have not maintained the same discipline off the field. But, believe me, I am going to get down to brass tacks next year and it will be a different story."

TOMMY GIBBONS KAYOES MULLEN IN 45 SECONDS

SHREVEPORT, La., Dec. 3.—Tommy Gibbons of St. Paul, Minn., knocked out Hope Mullen of Muncie, Ind., 45 seconds after the first gong here, last night. Gibbons floored Mullen three times.

Gibbons rushed across the ring when the bell rang for the start and hooked a left to Mullen's jaw. Mullen took a count of 9 and was knocked down again. The third left to the jaw floored Mullen for the count. Gibbons weighed 173 and Mullen 165 pounds.

Football Men Grow Bigger Out In Nebraska, Critic Declares

Natives of Cornhusker State Excel Those of Kansas and Iowa in Stature, Weight and Strength, in Opinion of Writer Who Has Observed Nebraska Athletes for Many Years.

By John E. Wray.

POTATOES may grow big in Kansas; but if you're looking for football talent, it seems to grow bigger in Nebraska. This appears to be so obviously the rule as to arouse not only the envy but the curiosity of rival Missouri Valley Conference states whose universities annually compete for the title with Nebraska.

C. E. McBride, who officiates in Valley Conference games at times, and writes his views about Valley teams at others, suggested to the Post-Dispatch a reason, which was published. It was to the effect that Kansas and Missouri State intercollegiate associations sapped the regular State varsities of much valuable football material.

But C. S. Sherman of Lincoln, Neb., who is in close touch with the Cornhusker affairs and officials, has an entirely contrary view. In a nutshell, he thinks that the reason for Husker supremacy is: "Football men grow bigger in Nebraska." His opinion, in a letter to the Post-Dispatch, follows:

Dear Mr. Wray:

I noticed your comment in the Post-Dispatch the other day, in which you mentioned the advantage—or alleged advantage—Nebraska has over other Valley Conference schools in that Nebraska has less competition from minor colleges for athletic material. I am sure you would like to have the actual facts, so here goes:

Nebraska, as a State, has an intercollegiate conference comprising 12 institutions, as follows: Nebraska Wesleyan University, Doane College, Wayne Normal, Peru Normal, Kearney Normal, Chadron Normal, Hastings College, Grand Island College, Nebraska Central College, York College, Midland College and Cotner College. Two of these schools are located in Lincoln suburbs. Two Nebraska schools, not in the conference, are Creighton University of Omaha and the University of Omaha. There are 14 universities and colleges in Nebraska which compete with the State University for students and athletic material.

State Teams Very Strong.

The quality of football at these State Conference schools is, of course, not on a par with football at the State University, yet the 1921 record shows that Kansas Agricultural College, which finished in a tie for second in this year's Valley conference race, was defeated by Creighton, 14 to 7. In previous years, Creighton has won from the Kansas Aggies.

This year's State Conference football race resulted in a tie between Nebraska Wesleyan and Wayne Normal, so their teams are to compete next Saturday in Lincoln to settle the championship dispute.

My own theory in explaining the fact that Nebraska on the average has the strongest football team in the Valley is that **the young men playing football at Nebraska are bigger, huskier and heavier than in other parts of the Valley circle. Nebraska grows bigger men than Missouri, Kansas or Iowa.**

The enrollment of students at Nebraska is larger than at any other Valley college, which may be something of a factor; yet I am sure my original suggestion is correct. Coaches and officials in Valley games have a similar idea. I have heard many of them so express themselves.

If this theory is wrong, why is it that Nebraska teams, almost without exception, are heavier on the scales and bigger in stature? There must be something to it, else this rule would not hold good.

There are exceptional of course, yet very rarely. For instance, not oftener than one year in ten will the Missouri varsity squad average so much in weight and stature as the Nebraska squad.

Beef does not mean everything in football, especially when the forward pass presents such a threat; but when beef is combined with speed then the combination is formidable in football. Nebraska's backfield this year had three men, each of whom has been timed in 10 1-5 seconds for the century dash. One of the three is Floyd Wright, Missouri Valley champion for the past two years over the 120 hurdles. Two of the men will have two more years of Nebraska football. Track Coach Schulte expects one of the two to be running the century dash in even time.

I am not writing to complain of your comment. I take it that you wrote in absolute good faith; yet the truth is somebody was guilty of misinforming you.

I am, sincerely yours,

C. S. SHERMAN.

Kansas, Iowa and Nebraska have so much in common as to climate, topography and occupational pursuits of their populations that it is difficult to conceive of a reason why the stature of Nebraskans should be greater than that of Iowans or of Kansans. An answer may be found in the different physical characteristics of the original settlers of the three States.

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That East-Far West Game.

WASHINGTON and Jefferson apparently will be the lucky eleven to draw the Tournament of Roses football date with California University, Jan. 1. Perhaps it will not prove so lucky, after all, as the game will prove the hardest engagement played by Washington and Jefferson this year.

There is absolutely no way to bring these two teams together in comparison. Both are unbeaten and both have faced fair teams. Here are the records of the rivals:

WASH. AND JEFF.		CALIFORNIA.	
14—Bethany	0	21—St. Mary C.	0
26—Bucknell	0	39—Oregon	0
54—W. Va. Wes.	0	14—Wash. State.	0
14—Carnegie T.	0	38—S. California	7
14—Lehigh	7	72—U. of Wash.	3
17—Syracuse	10	42—Stanford	7
49—Westminster	14		
7—Pittsburg	0		
13—West Va.	0		
208	31	226	17

These scores show that where California averaged 41 points against the strongest five elevens on its schedule—elevens that ordinarily give it a strong battle for victory—Washington and Jefferson average only 13 points against the best five teams on its schedule.

If Washington and Jefferson goes to the coast, a good team, but not a top rank eleven, will represent the East. There appear to be six teams better than W. and J.

Girl Shooters to Meet.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—The girls' rifle team of Northwestern University will meet a picked team from the university reserve officers' training corps in a match Dec. 6, it was announced today. The winning team will receive a silver trophy cup at the military ball Jan. 6.

Rathbun Named Captain.

By the Associated Press.

AMES, Ia., Dec. 3.—Lloyd Rathbun of Winner, S. D., was elected captain of the Iowa State cross-country team yesterday. One hundred and 75 track candidates reported for their first workout of the season under Coach Art Smith.

Badger Nine to Go South.

By the Associated Press.

MADISON, Wis., Dec. 3.—The University Athletic Council has made arrangements for a spring training trip to be taken by the Wisconsin baseball team. Games are to be arranged with Missouri, Alabama, Tennessee and other Southern schools, if plans are

Britton, and Not Leonard, Seeking Welter Title Go

Veteran 145-Pound Champion Says Lightweight Titleholder Appears Unwilling.

By Robert Edgren.

(Copyright, 1921.)

Jack Britton says that Benny Leonard hasn't been after him for a welterweight championship match—he's been after Leonard. This will be some match when they get together for the welter title in a decision bout.

Britton is the youngest veteran I've seen in the ring in many years. "Age cannot wither him, nor custom stale his infinite variety," as Bill Shakspeare nearly said.

Jack is a master of his craft, and has the confidence of a champion. Leonard couldn't do anything with him before. But 15 rounds, with a decision, would make them both show everything they have, Leonard trying for the welter title and a new fortune, and Britton confidently intent on proving himself master of the lightweight champion as a boxer.

Don't know of any match in the lighter classes that could equal it.

A Chance for the Frenchman.

Georges Carpentier writes that he intends to come to America again in February to defend his world light-heavyweight title against Tom Gibbons. This looks like the best match between big men that can be made until some new heavyweight shows class enough to give Jack Dempsey a fight.

Carpentier is a splendid boxer and a real sportsman. He was too heavily handicapped in fighting Jack Dempsey, but against Gibbons, Greb or any other man of his weight he ought to show the world real action.

One Real Fighter.

Young Bob Fitzsimmons, son of the great Fitz, is going along slowly, winning a bout now and then and taking his time. This was the way his famous father wanted him to go.

Bob Fitzsimmons, who was one of the greatest boxers that ever drew on a glove, made his start late and lasted longer among the champions than any other title holder we ever had. He wanted his son Bob to become a professional boxer, but advised him to wait until he was a man grown, with all a man's endurance and strength. At that old Bob often told me that young Bob had the making of a champion, and that he'd be a faster man than his father ever was, and a harder hitter.

Young Bob will have to go some to make that prediction good. He has the real fighting spirit. When America went into the war Young Bob came to see me.

"Dad told me to go to you for advice if he wasn't around," he explained, "and now that he's dead I remembered what he told me. I just want to ask you how I can fix it to have my share of mother's property turned over to my brother and sister. I'll be in the army in a month and maybe I won't come back from over there. If I don't come back I want them to have my share, and if I do come back I can take care of myself anyway and won't need it. I'm in a hurry to get it fixed up."

"What's your hurry?" I asked. "You have a month."

"Well, no," said Young Bob. "I'm just the kind of a fellow Uncle Sam needs—nobody depending upon me. I want to make the best kind of a soldier, so I'm going to get into shape. I have four weeks. I'm going down the New Jersey coast to a place I know of and spend that month training and practicing rifle shooting. I want to be fit and a good shot, so I can do my best."

Bob's property transfer was made through the good offices of Lawyer Abe Levy, a good sportsman, who knew his father well, and Young Bob went into a month's training, as he said he would.

Guess he made a good soldier. I know he flatly turned down an offer to be made a boxing instructor instead of going into the ranks. Said he didn't want to have a soft job. He wanted to go where the fighting was. Good stuff in him.

FOOTBALL TEAMS MEET HERE IN RED CROSS BENEFIT GAME TODAY

Picked teams made up of former high school, academy and college players will play a football game at High School Field, Grand and Laclede avenues, beginning at 2 p. m. today, for the benefit of the Red Cross.

The elevens have been selected and tutored by Coaches Roberts of University City and Savage of St. Louis University Academy.

The teams will be chosen from the following players:

Roberts' team—G. Wood, University City High; E. Crawford, University City High; J. Mooney, University City High; D. Young, Soldan; J. Browning, Loyola; A. Jones, University City; G. Murchison, University; Loren Murchison, Illinois A. C.; S. Weber, Washington freshman; Browning, Central; L. Kittlaus, Central; C. Downes, Central; H. Barker, University City; W. Haynes, University City; A. Thias, University City; C. Moore, University City; C. Moore, University City High; J. Davis, University City.

Savage's team—C. J. Murphy, St. Louis U.; Starkloff, Cleveland; Shillig, McKinley; Weber, St. Louis U. Academy; Thomas, McKinley; Prosser, St. Louis U. Academy; L. W. Murphy, St. Louis U.; Jestes, McKinley; Plank, Cleveland; Benway, Washington; Yerger, Washington; Wohler, McKinley; Stokes, St. Louis U. Academy; Hannauer, Cleveland; Talbot, McKinley.

Billikens to Name Captain.

At a dinner knight to be given at the Missouri Athletic Association tonight by Missouri Council No. 858, Knights of Columbus, members of the varsity football squad who earned their "letter" will receive their awards.

A captain will also be named to succeed James Finnegan, who rendered such fine service at end for his team during the season just closed.

SPORT SALAD by L. C. Davis

PRIDE.

THERE was a man in our town
Who took a daily plunge,
And told in detail how he used
Cold water and a sponge.
But when the story he had spread
With all his might and main,
Upon his muchly swollen head
His hat would not remain.

WHY?

Cold baths are all right if you like 'em. But why pester the public about it?

Lots of people take a warm bath every morning, but they don't get chesty about it.

Football is noted for its many amazing reversals of form. For instance, one minute you'll see a guy standing on his feet and the next minute he will be standing on his head.

And then the team will lick the team that licked the team that licked the team, and so on ad finitum.

Judge Landis might confer a favor on the public and vindicate the integrity of baseball by suspending Babe Ruth from vaudeville for the balance of his life.

Barnstorming with a baseball club isn't half as bad as barnstorming on the two-a-day circuit.

That's one thing you got to give it to football for. You don't see any gridiron stars hopping from football to footlights at the end of the season.

SAFETY FIRST.

IN making a schedule,
Long odds you can lay,
That you'll never get walloped
By teams you don't play.

GOOD WORK.

"May Bury Hatchet at 'Big Ten' meeting."—Headline. Disarmament is the watchword. Everybody's doing it.

When the hatchets have all been buried and the knockers have laid down their hammers then we'll have a nice little world to live in.

When the world envelopes itself in a smoke screen from the pipe of peace old Mars won't have a look-in.

Magnates who claim that big league baseball is retrograding want the limit for the number of eligible players raised from 40 to 50. Indicating that what is lacking in quality will be made up in quantity.

Why not remove the limit? The more the merrier. So say the ball players.

Comiskey used to win pennants for St. Louis with a squad of 13 men. Then somebody told Commy that 13 was an unlucky number, so he hired another hand and never won any more pennants.

Most of the big league timber that comes from the sticks turns out to be culls.

We note by the Pikers' schedule that the Sooners will be around later next year.

Notre Dame After Conference Games

Representatives of Indiana Football Team Attend "Big Ten" Gathering Today.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—The annual meeting of the Western Conference Athletic directors, and coaches in the various college sports, opened here today with formulation of the 1922 schedules being given paramount consideration.

Few changes are expected in the football schedules of the elevens which finished at the top of the percentage column last fall. Iowa, the 1921 champion, is seeking games with the stronger teams, and former opponents of Minnesota are talking over the arrangement of games with the Gophers earlier in the season. For the last three years Minnesota teams have made a showing which has been disappointing to their followers.

Chicago and Ohio State, it is indicated, may have virtually the same schedules as last year and few changes are expected in the Wisconsin series.

Notre Dame is here looking for conference games, but no indication has been made of the teams they will offer to play.

An Ohio-Wisconsin contest is still improbable, according to reports, as their differences have not been straightened out.

Iowa May Play Yale.

Howard Jones, football coach of the championship Iowa eleven, upon his arrival verified the report that Iowa had been offered a date on the Yale schedule. This contest will be played in the East Oct. 14, provided no Conference games are sacrificed, according to Coach Jones.

Princeton desires to play the return game with Chicago on Stagg Field on Oct. 28, it is understood, a week later than the Princeton-Chicago game in the East this year.

Representatives of a number of the smaller colleges, including the "Little Nineteen" Conference, are here in quest of all kinds of contests with Conference elevens.

There were indications that the Drake relay games would receive hearty conference support in preference to the Penn relays, in the spring, owing to poor support accorded by the East to the national intercollegiate outdoor track and field meet held here last summer.

MORE INTERSECTIONAL GAMES DUE NEXT YEAR

There will likely be more intersectional football tests next year than ever before. The West has tasted blood and the East hardly cares to stand pat on the 1921 intersectional record.

The Army and Rutgers have not been able to give Notre Dame much worry, but if Notre Dame could be brought East against some team such as Lafayette, Penn State or Cornell, there would be quite a flurry.

Princeton goes to Chicago next October, and that will be a starter. Penn State and Georgia Tech, by drawing 28,000 to the Polo Grounds this fall showed what keen interest could be stirred up in this way.

Millikin Picks Schroll.

By the Associated Press.

DECATUR, Ill., Dec. 3.—Lester Schroll of Aledo, Ill., a junior, last night was elected captain of the Millikin football eleven. Schroll played guard during the past season.

Kansas-Army Game Sought.

LAWRENCE, Kan., Dec. 3.—A telegram urging that Kansas University schedule a football game on Oct. 22, 1922, with the Army eleven at West Point was received yesterday by officials of the university athletic department.

Youth Shatters Bowling Record

R. Gable Rolls 1911 in All-Events Standing at Des Moines.

DES MOINES, Ia., Dec. 3.—R. Gable, 20-year-old bowler, went into the lead in the all-events of the Mid-West tournament here last night by shooting a total score of 1911, which breaks the association record set a few years ago by F. Frost of Fort Dodge, Ia., who put it at 1909.

Gable shot a 676 score in the singles which landed him in seventh position in that event.

Teams from Sioux City, Chicago, Mason City, Cedar Rapids and Des Moines failed to alter the standing of the upper ten leaders in any of the other events.

Sport Briefs

Chicago—Danny Goodman, former boxing instructor at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station, has been charged with violating the prohibition law.

Chicago—The University of Wisconsin was chosen for the 1922 championships by the Western Intercollegiate Gymnastic, Wrestling and Fencing Association.

Rock Island, Ill.—Mike Dundee, Rock Island lightweight, won the decision over Gene Watson, Pacific Coast lightweight in 10 rounds.

New York—San Antonio was chosen spring training grounds of the New York National League baseball team.

Red Lodge, Mont.—Gus Kallio, claimant of the world's welterweight westling championship, was rendered unconscious when thrown by Clarence Eklund, claimant of the world's light-heavyweight championship, after 45 minutes of wrestling.

San Diego—Two polo teams, a Denver quartet headed by Barry Huston and a Canadian group captained by T. B. Jenkinson of Calgary, will arrive some time late this month for the Coronado polo season, according to advices received by Maj. C. G. Ross, secretary of Coronada Country Club. Each captain said he would ship a car load of thoroughbred polo ponies here at once.

New York—The Garnd American Handicap trapshooting tournament for Sept. 1 was awarded to Atlantic City.

Waxahachie, Tex.—The Kansas City baseball club of the American Association will train here next spring. The team will come here about March 1 for three weeks' training.

Atlanta, Ga.—Georgia Tech will meet the Navy in football next year at Annapolis and in 1923 at Atlanta, it was announced here. The game next year will be played Oct. 21.

Williamstown, Mass. — Charley Boynton of Waco, Tex., brother of Benny, former star Williams athlete, was elected captain of the 1922 Williams eleven.

Milwaukee, Wis.—Mel Coogan, Brooklyn, outpointed Tony Dennis, Milwaukee, and Eddie Boehme, Milwaukee, shaded Tommy Carter, El Paso, Tex., in 10-round, no-decision bouts here.

Pittsburg—Tommy Holleran, quarterback, was elected captain of the 1922 University of Pittsburg football team.

Tulsa, Ok.—Gus Pappas of Salt Lake City, claimant of the middleweight wrestling championship of America, defeated Sailor Jack Woods of San Francisco, two falls out of three.

Baseball Is Tame Beside Basketball, Maranville Finds

"I'd Never Last Season Out at Baskets," Famous Ball Player Says, After Game.

Basket Timekeepers Must Not Hold Watch, Valley Directors Rule

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 3.

ATHLETIC directors of the Missouri Valley Conference brought their meeting to a close yesterday in a session with basketball officials of the valley to establish a uniform interpretation of the rules governing the game.

Section 16 of rule 7, which says that a technical four is any foul not involving personal contact, will be one of the principal interpretations watched this season.

It was also ruled that the timekeeper's watch shall be on the table and not in possession of a timekeeper.

A strict interpretation will be made of the rule forbidding running with the ball, the directors having ruled that officials may use their own judgment as to whether a player "stops as quickly" as possible, after receiving the ball.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—After playing in a rather warm basketball game here "Rabbit" Maranville of the Pittsburg Pirates, said:

"I'm thankful that I don't have to play as many games of basketball as baseball. I'd never last the season out, if I did. Without doubt basketball is the fastest and most strenuous of American sports.

"Some might argue that hockey, or soccer, or lacrosse is the speedier game, but I'll contest that point with anybody. Basketball is far more strenuous than any competitive game I ever saw or participated in.

"In comparison baseball is slow. Players on the diamond do not have to put forth 25 per cent of the exertion that basketball requires. The baseball player reaches the limit of exertion chasing a hit or going down to a base trying to beat out the ball. That effort is of only a few seconds' duration. A moderately fast man requires somewhat less than three seconds to cover the distance between bags. He can make the complete circuit within 12 seconds. Then the baseball player has plenty of time to get a breather and recuperate his strength.

Little Rest for the Weary.

"In basketball the player gets no respite except between halves, and the halves last 20 minutes. For every second of those 20 minutes—1200 of them—the player is going at top speed. He cannot stall along until he recovers his wind. He's on his toes from the first jump-off until the whistle blows.

"The only rest he gets is while a foul shot is being made or the ball is brought back to the center of the court after a field goal. Those 'rests' may be measured in seconds—maybe 10 at the most."

Questioned as to whether he thought basketball is injurious to a baseball player the Rabbit allowed that it is.

"If he played basketball to any great extent a baseball player would almost be sure to break down," said Maranville. "The quick stops and change of pace that basketball requires is killing. They jolt the joints and put a terrific strain upon your leg muscles.

"A baseball player is good only so long as he 'keeps' his legs—unless, of course, he is a pitcher, in which case he must also nurse his arms. But the chief physical dependence of the infielder and outfielder is his underpinning. When the baseball player's legs begin to go back on him his game goes back with them.

"If I attempted to play basketball steadily between seasons it would certainly cut off many years of my baseball career. I figure that I can stand basketball for an occasional game, but I would never think of playing it regularly and still hope to continue to play baseball for more than a few years longer."

GIBBONS AND RATNER EXPECTED HERE TODAY

Mike Gibbons, middleweight title candidate, and Augie Ratner, the ambitious young New York middleweight, are due to arrive in St. Louis late this afternoon.

The men are matched to box 12 rounds to a decision att he Coliseum Monday night, Dec. 5. Gibbons has been boxing on an average of once a week for som etime. Ratner has been fighting regularly and showing great improvement, reports state.



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PRICES IRREGULAR IN LIGHT TRADE ON STOCK MARKET

Continued Strength of Independent Steels Feature of Industrial List — Railroad Shares Neglected.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—The Evening Post, in its copyrighted financial review today, says:

"Trading on the Stock Excahnge was relatively quiet, with price changes irregular. Rails were practically neglected and hardly moved in price from the day before. Continued strength among independent steels was a feature of the industrial list. Gains and losses of a point or two occurred among a number of issues, but movements for the most part were fractional. Sterling was firm at $4.04⅝ and German marks recovered to 0.45 of a cent. Business was light. January cotton gained 18 points at 17.30c, but rain and snow in the Southwest brought slightly lower prices for wheat. May lost ¾ of a cent at $1.16½.

"An increase of $3,400,000 in surplus reserve is shown by the Clearing House banks, the total for this item standing at $18,000,000. Loans have increased by $17,500,000 and deposits by $5,700,000. Reserve deposits at the Federal Reserve Bank have increased by $3,900,000. Government deposits are less by $10,-000,000."

New York Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—The actual condition of Clearing House banks and trust companies for the week shows that they hold $17,987,800 reserve in excess of legal requirements. This is an increase of $3,451,390 from last week.

The statement follows:

Actual condition—Loans, discounts, etc., $4,434,231,000; increase, $17,521,000. Cash in own vaults, members Federal Reserve Bank, $71,411,000; decrease, $3,220,000. Reserve in F. R. Bank of members' banks, $506,206,000; increase, $3,914,000. Reserve in own vaults, State banks and trust companies, $8,868,000; increase, $35,000. Reserve in depositaries, State banks and trust companies, $9,239,000; increase, $368,000. Net demand deposits, $3,824,928,000; increase, $7,059,000. Time deposits, $232,870,000; increase, $1,381,000; circulation, $33,221,000; increase, $52,000. U. S. Deposits deducted, $40,455,000. Aggregate reserve, cash in vault, $49,615,400.

Summary of State banks and trust companies in Greater New York not included in Clearing House statement: Loans, discounts, etc., $639,478,000; increase, $3,062,700. Gold, $4,392,200; increase, $21,100. Currency and bank notes, $17,060,000; increase, $8200. Deposits with F. R. Bank, New York, $54,820,100; increase, $175,300. Total deposits, $673,382,900; increase, $2,563,200.

Eliminating amounts due from reserve depositaries and other banks and trust companies in New York and U. S. deposits, $631,456,000; increase, $3,026,300. Banks, cash in vault, $27,196,900; trust companies, cash in valut, $49,615,400.

Bar Silver.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Foreign bar silver, 67c; Mexican dollars, 51½c.

LONDON, Dec. 3.—Bar silver, 37¼d per ounce. Money, 2½ per cent. Discount rates: Short bills, 3⅜ per cent; three months' bills, 3 11-16 per cent.

Foreign Exchange and Domestic Money

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Following are today's quotations in the foreign exchange market:

EUROPEAN RATES.

STERLING (par $4.86⅝ per sovereign). Demand $4.04⅝, cables $4.05¼; commercial 60 days, $4.01, commercial 90 days, $3.99¼.
FRANCE (par 19.3 cents per franc). Demand 7.28c, cables 7.29c.
ITALY (par 19.3 cents per lira). Demand 4.26c, cables 4.26½c.
BELGIUM (par 19.3 cents per franc). Demand 7.00c, cables 7.00½c.
SWITZERLAND (par 19.3 cents per franc). Demand 19.13c, cables 19.15c.
HOLLAND (par 40.2 cents per florin). Demand 35.18c, cables 35.10c.
GERMANY (par 23.8 cents per mark). Demand .45c, cables .45½c.
AUSTRIA (par 20.3 cents per crown). Demand .03½c, cables .04c.
GREECE (par 19.3 cents per drachma). Demand 4.10c.
SWEDEN (par 26.8 cents per krone). Demand 23.75c, cables 23.80c.
NORWAY (par 26.8 cents per krone). Demand 14.40c, cables 14.45c.
DENMARK (par 26.8 cents per krone). Demand 18.60c, cables 18.65c.
SPAIN (par 19.3 cents per peseta). Demand 13.98c, cables 14c.
PORTUGAL (par $1.08 per escudo). Demand 9c.
HUNGARY (par 20.3 cents per crown). Demand 16c.
CZECHO-SLOVAKIA (par 20.3 cents per crown). Demand 1.13c.
POLAND (cents per mark). Demand .03c.
FINLAND (par 19.3 cents per mark). Demand 1.85c.
RUMANIA (par 19.3 cents per leu). Demand .75c.
JUGO-SLAVIA (par 20.3 cents per crown). Demand .35c.

FAR EASTERN RATES.

YOKOHAMA (par 49.8 cents per yen). Demand 47.75c, cables 48.00c.
HONGKONG (par 59.32 cents per Chinese dollar). Demand 55.00c, cables 55.25c.
SHANGHAI (par 82.38 cents per tael). Demand 77.25c, cables 77.50c.
MEXICAN DOLLARS (at Shanghai). Demand 56.50c, cables 56.75c.
CALCUTTA (cents per rupee). Demand 26.75c, cables 27.00c.

OTHER EXCHANGES.

ARGENTINE (par 42.45 cents per paper peso). Spot 32.75c.
BRAZIL (cents per milreis). Demand 13.12c.
URUGUAY (par 103.42 cents per peso). Demand 67.75c.
CHILE (par 20.00c per paper peso). Demand 10.75c.
CANADA (cents per Canadian dollar). Demand 91.75c.

Chicago Stock Sales

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Following is a report of today's sales, high, low and closing quotations at the Chicago Stock Exchange:

Sales	Stock	High.	Low.	Clos.
100	Am Radiator	87¼	87	87
50	Am Shipbldg	76	76	76
25	do pfd	72	72	72
21	Armour Lea	12¼	12¼	12¼
60	Armour pfd	94¾	94⅝	94⅝
15	Beaverboard	8	8	8
..	do pfd	25	25	25
50	Chi El Rys pfd	1¼	1⅛	1⅛
500	Chi Rys ser 2	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
15	Chi T & T	240	240	240
35	Com Edison	115	114¾	115
25	Cont Mot	6	6	6
100	Deere pfd	62	62	62
100	Edmunds & J	107	107	107
210	Earl Mot	10¼	10¼	10¼
85	Ill Brick	55	55	55
275	Hupp Motor	12	11½	12
1,410	Libby McN	6½	6	6½
50	Lindsay L	3½	3½	3½
25	Mid-W pr ln	81	81	81
110	M W Util pf	52½	52	52
200	Mitch Mot	4½	4½	4½
110	M Ward	15	15	15
25	do pfd	84	84	84
1,350	Nat Leather	3	2⅞	3
100	Orpheum C	14¼	14	14
25	Pick & Co	23	23	23
35	Pub Service	81	81	81
..	do pfd	82¾	82¾	82¾
..	Q Oats pfd	89¼	89¼	89¼
..	Sears-Roeb	58⅛	58⅛	58⅛
..	S-Warner	23⅝	23⅝	23⅝
10	Stand Gas	40	40	40
1,790	Swift Intl	20⅝	20	20
..	J R Thompson	44	44	44
100	Temtor A	3¾	3½	3½
..	Un C & C	47	46½	47
15	Un Iron Wks	7½	7½	7½
..	Wahl	53	52½	53
10	Wrigley	100½	99¾	99¾
..	Yellow Mfg	164	160	164
..	Yellow Cab	56	56	56

Total shares sold not shown.

NEW YORK STOCKS

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Total sales on the New York Stock Exchange today were 382,200 shares. Sales to 11 a. m. were 198,800.

Following is a list of today's individual sales (00 omitted) on the Stock Exchange, with the high, low and closing prices and the net changes for the day:

STOCKS.	Sales	High.	Low.	Close.	Net Ch'ge.
Industrials.					
Am B Sug	2	28½	28	28	....
Am Can com	9	32¾	32⅝	32¾	•¼
A G & W I	32	32¼	31¼	31⅝	•¼
do pfd	2	23	....	23	•¼
Al-Chal com	8	37⅞	37⅝	37⅞	•¼
Am Ice	13	76	74¾	75⅞	•⅞
AH&L com	5	13⅛	12⅞	12⅞	—⅛
Am Wool	19	80¾	80⅛	80⅝	•⅛
Am Sug	12	55⅞	55¼	55⅝	•½
do pfd	3	85	....	85	....
Am Sumatra	6	32¾	32½	32½	•¼
Am Tob	15	134	132¼	134	•¼
do B	3	129⅝	....	129¾	•1⅛
do pfd new	1	98	....	98	•½
Adams Exp	1	50	49¾	50	•½
Ajax Rub	3	18⅛	17¾	18⅛	•⅛
Allied Chem	31	58	56⅝	56⅝	•½
Allied Ch pf	1	99½	....	99½	—¾
Am Ag Ch	9	31¼	31	31	—1
do pfd	1	58	....	58	—⅜
Am Br Shoe	1	55¼	....	55¼	....
Am Cot Oil	1	21½	....	21½	•¾
Am Dr Syn	1	5	....	5	—⅛
Am Chicle	3	8½	8¼	8¼	—¼
Am Int Cor	79	41½	39¾	41½	•3
Am Snuff	6	110	109	109	—1
Am W G p pf	1	16⅝	....	16⅝	•⅛
Atlantic Pet	7	22	21⅞	22	....
Am T & T	19	116	115⅝	115⅝	—⅛
Ass'd D G	6	46⅞	46½	46⅞	•1⅛
do 2d pfd	1	77⅞	....	77⅞	•⅞
Am S R ctf	1	4⅛	....	4⅛	—⅛
Am S & C C	18	6⅝	5¾	6⅝	•⅛
Atl Fruit	6	2¼	2	2¼	....
Austin Nich	3	10⅝	10½	10⅝	•⅛
Am Rad	3	87½	87	87	—½
Bush T. B. p	1	89	....	89	•½
Burns Bros	6	116¾	116¼	116¾	—⅜
Butterick Co	2	27½	....	27½	....
Brook Edison	1	97½	....	97½	—⅝
Caddo Oil	1	12½	....	12½	•⅛
Calif. Pkg	3	71½	71	71½	•⅛
Calif. Pet	6	44½	44⅝	44½	•⅛
do pfd	1	84½	....	84½	....
Cent. Lea	80	31⅛	29	30¼	—1⅝
do pfd	20	65¾	63½	63⅝	—2¼
Chand M C	10	47½	46⅞	47	—⅛
Col Graph	34	3¾	3⅝	3½	....
Coca-C ctf	6	39	38⅛	38¾	•¼
Col G & E	12	65	64⅛	65	....
Cons Cig pf	1	62	....	62	—2⅞
Cont Ins	1	67	....	67	•1
Corn Prod	3	88½	....	88¼	....
Cuban C Sg	24	7½	7¼	7½	....
do pfd	6	16⅛	15½	15½	—1
Cub-Am Sug	6	14½	13⅞	13⅞	—⅝
Cosd O ctf	11	33¼	33⅛	33¼	•¼
Cons Tx ctf	27	14⅛	13⅞	13⅞	•⅛
Davison Ch	12	52	51	51¾	—¾
Emer Brant	1	3	....	3	—⅛
Endic John	18	78½	76⅝	76⅝	—1⅜
Fam. P-L	18	69⅝	69	69	•¼
do pfd	1	84½	....	84½	•¼
Fishbdy O pf	2	77½	77⅛	77⅛	•¼
Fisk Rub	2	10	....	10	....
Freept. Tex	3	15⅛	....	15⅛	....
Gas W&WI	2	¼	¼	¼	—¼
Gen Asphalt	106	65¼	64⅝	64¾	—⅛
do pfd	2	102	....	102	•2¾
Gen Cig	8	68¾	68	68¾	•¼
Gen. Elec	29	143¾	141	143	•3¾
Gen. Mot	25	11	10⅞	10⅞	....
do pfd	1	71¾	....	71¾	•¼
do 7 pct pf	2	82¼	....	82¼	•¼
Goodrich R	4	32¾	32⅝	32¾	•¼
Hupp Mot	44	12	11⅛	11⅝	•¼
Habirshaw ctf	1	½	....	½	....
In Mot 1st p	2	73¼	....	73½	....
Int Cement	2	27¼	27	27¼	....
Inter Cons	1	1¾	....	1¾	—¼
do pfd	1	4	....	4	....
Int Harv	42	82¾	79¾	82¾	•3¼
Int M Mar	54	14⅜	13¾	14⅜	•⅝
do pfd	122	61½	61¾	61½	•2¾
Int Paper	6	52¼	52	52¼	•⅛
do pfd	1	101	....	101	•1
do pf stp	3	73½	....	73½	•½
Invin Oil	34	12⅞	12⅛	12⅞	•¼
Indiah ctfs	43	4⅞	4⅝	4⅝	•⅛
Island Oil	23	3	2⅞	3	•⅛
Jewell T pfd	1	43½	....	43½	....
Jones Bros	1	33	....	33	....
Kelly Tire	14	42¼	41⅝	42¼	•⅛
do 8s pfd	1	89	....	89	....
Keystone T	1	9¾	....	9¾	—⅛
Kan & Gulf	20	8¼	....	8¼	—¼
Lee Rub	7	28⅝	28½	28½	—⅛
Lig & My	2	157	155¼	157	•¼
Lorillard Co	2	152	151⅝	151⅝	—⅛
Loft I ctf	4	10	....	10	....
Loew's ctf	5	14	....	14	....
Mex Pet	115	112⅛	110⅛	111⅞	•1¼
Marland Oil	2	27¼	27⅛	27¼	—⅛
Mid State Oil	100	15½	15	15½	•¼
Mont Ward	1	15¾	....	15¾	....
Nat Acme	5	12⅝	12¼	12¼	—⅛
Nat Conduit	3	1	....	1	—⅛
Nat E & S	1	41⅝	....	41⅝	•½
N Y Ship	1	13⅝	....	13⅝	•¼
North Am	10	44½	44	44½	—⅛
Okla P & R	14	3⅛	....	3⅛	—⅛
Orpheum ctf	8	14⅜	14½	14⅜	—⅛
Otis Elevs	4	117	....	117	—1
Pac Dev Cor	5	8⅛	....	8⅛	—⅛
Pac G & E	5	64¼	....	64¼	—⅛
Prod & Ref	2	25⅛	....	25⅛	•¼
Pacific Oil	33	45½	45⅛	45½	•⅛
Pam-Am P	21	51	50⅛	50⅝	•⅜
do B	7	46⅝	....	46⅝	•¼
People's Gas	3	56	....	56	....
Phila Co	5	34	33¾	34	•¼
Pierce-Ar	7	14½	14	14½	—⅛
do pfd	6	33⅝	33⅛	33⅝	—⅛
Pierce Oil	22	13½	12¾	13¼	•⅛
Pitts Coal	15	62	61⅝	61⅝	•⅛
do pfd	1	91	....	91	—¼
Pond C C	1	15	....	15	....
Punta A S	4	30	29¾	30	—⅛
Phillips Pet	3	31⅛	....	31⅛	•⅛
Panhdle P	1	2⅞	....	2⅞	•⅛
Pure O ctf	40	38¼	37½	37½	—⅛
Reis ctf	1	8½	....	8½	—⅛
Rep Mot T	1	6⅛	....	6⅛	—⅛
Roy D C	32	47⅜	47⅜	47⅜	—⅛
Sears-Roe	40	59	57⅝	58⅝	—⅛
Sinclair O	43	22⅞	22¼	22⅝	•⅛
S P R Sug	2	35½	35	35	—⅛
Shell Tr Co	3	37¾	37½	37½	—⅛
Studebaker	79	77¼	75¾	77¼	•1½
Sub. Boat	3	3⅝	....	3⅝	•⅛
Sup Oil ctf	9	8	7⅜	8	•⅛
Std O of Cal	20	91¾	90⅝	91¾	—¼
S O of N J	33	191	186	190⅝	•4¼
do pfd	7	112	111⅞	112	—⅛
Tex P C&O	28	29	28⅝	29	•⅛
Tex & Gulf	19	34	33¾	34	•⅛
Texas Co	15	45⅝	45⅛	45¼	—⅛
Tob Prod	4	59⅞	58⅝	58⅝	—1⅜
do pfd	1	87⅞	....	87⅞	•½
Tran Con Oil	335	11⅞	11¼	11⅞	•1⅜
Union B & P	4	73⅛	72	72	—⅛
Union Oil	9	20⅛	19⅝	19¾	—⅛
Un Drug Syn	3	71½	71	71½	•½
Un Fruit Co	5	124⅞	124¾	124⅞	—1⅛
U S Ind Al	11	37½	36¼	36⅞	—¼
U S Rubber	22	50⅞	50⅝	50⅝	—¼
Un Ret St	17	53	52⅝	53	....
Va-Car Ch	2	29	....	29	—⅛
do pfd	3	71½	....	71¼	—⅛
Vanad ctfs	36	33⅝	32¼	33	•1⅜
Vivaudou	5	7⅝	....	7⅝	....

STOCK MARKET AVERAGES. Selected Securities.	Close Today.	Close Yest.	Week Ago.	Day's Chge.
20 Industrials	59.91	59.88	59.71	•.03
20 Railroads	57.26	57.20	57.69	•.06
40 Stocks	58.58	58.54	58.70	•.04

STOCKS.	Sales	High.	Low.	Close.	Net Ch'ge.
Industrials.					
White Oil	9	12⅝	12⅛	12⅝	•¼
West Elec	31	49¾	48¾	49⅝	•¾
West A B	1	94⅝	....	94⅝	•¼
White M C	2	39	....	39	•¼
Wilson & C	7	29½	29	29	—¼
do pfd	4	71	71	71	—⅛
Willys-Over	6	5	....	5	—⅛
Woolworth	1	122¼	....	122¼	•1¼
Worth Pump	2	44½	....	44½	—⅛
do pfd A	1	81	....	81	•1
Metals and Equipments.					
Alaska Jun	10	¾	....	¾	•⅛
Am C & F	11	150¼	149½	150	•⅛
Am Loco	36	98¼	97½	97½	....
Am Smelt	9	43¼	43¼	43⅛	—⅛
do pfd	2	87⅛	87	87⅛	—⅛
Am Stl F	25	34½	34	34½	—⅛
Anaconda C	19	46⅞	46½	46⅞	•¼
Baldwin Lo	69	95⅝	94¾	94⅞	—⅛
Beth Stl B	18	57⅜	56¾	56⅞	—⅛
do 8 pc pf	1	104½	....	104½	—⅛
Butte & Sup	2	17	....	17	—⅛
Callahan Zc	8	17	....	17	—⅛
Cal & Ariz	1	55	....	55	—⅛
Cars & Hill	9	11⅞	11¼	11⅞	—⅛
Chile Cop	8	12½	....	12½	•⅛
Chino Cop	9	27¼	27	27	....
Colo F & I	1	26¼	....	26¼	•¼
Cruc Steel	14	65¼	64⅝	65¼	•⅛
do pfd	2	88	....	88	....
Cerro C Cp	4	34¾	34	34	—⅛
G A Tank ctf	12	59½	55	59½	•4½
Granby Min	2	27½	26⅞	26⅞	—⅝
G N O ctfs	5	33¾	33	33¾	•⅛
Greene Can	3	26⅞	....	26⅞	—⅛
Gulf Sta Stl	5	50	49	49½	—1
Homestake M	2	55	....	55	....
Haskell & B	9	81⅝	80½	81	•⅛
Inspiration	3	38¾	38⅛	38¾	—⅛
Int Nickel	21	12	11⅝	12	•⅛
Iron Prod C	2	25½	25	25	—½
Kennecott	6	25⅝	25⅜	25⅝	•⅛
Lima Loco	3	85	83	85	•3
Lack Stl	39	48⅞	46¾	48¼	•1¼
Miami Cop	3	26	26⅛	26	•⅛
Midvale Stl	120	30¼	28⅝	29⅝	—⅛
Nat Lead	2	80½	80¼	80½	•⅛
Nev Cons	6	13⅞	....	13⅞	—⅛
N S S & C	5	25	....	25	—⅜
Otis Stl	32	10⅝	8⅞	10	•1⅝
do pfd	7	40	....	40	....
Pa Seab'd	10	10⅜	10	10	—⅝
Pressed Stl	1	67½	....	67½	—⅛
do pfd	3	89	....	89	....
Pullman	15	110	108⅞	110	•1⅛
Ry Stl Spg	1	92	....	92	....
Ray Cons	5	14⅝	14⅜	14⅝	—⅛
Rep S ctf	7	24½	23¾	23¾	—⅛
Rep I & S	64	55	53½	54⅞	•1⅛
Seneca Cop	8	24	23⅞	23⅞	—⅛
Sup Stl	2	30	....	30	....
Stl & T pfd	1	80	....	80	•1
Tenn C & C	8	10¼	10	10	—¼
USCIP pfd	1	55¼	....	55¼	....
U S Steel	78	84¼	83⅞	84¼	....
do pfd	3	114¼	114	114¼	•1
Utah Cop	7	59⅞	59½	59⅝	—⅛
Utah Sec	3	9⅝	9⅛	9⅝	—⅛
Wickr Stl	16	13⅞	12¾	13⅝	•1¼
Railroads.					
A T & S F	4	90¼	89⅞	89⅞	—⅛
do pfd	1	86½	....	86½	—⅛
At B & At	10	2	1½	2	....
B R T ctf	3	6	....	6	....
B & O	9	37⅝	37⅛	37⅝	—⅛
Can Pac	6	118⅛	118	118⅛	—⅛
C & O	4	57½	57⅛	57½	—⅛
do pfd	1	6⅛	....	6⅛	—3⅞
C & E I ctf	5	7	6⅞	7	....
do pfd ctf	2	6¾	....	6¾	—⅛
C&EI w i	10	16⅞	16½	16⅞	—⅛
C G W pfd	1	18½	....	18½	—⅛
C M & St P	5	23	22⅞	23	....
do pfd	12	36½	36⅛	36⅛	—⅛
C & N W	4	69⅞	69⅛	69⅞	—⅛
do pfd	1	110	....	110	—⅛
CRI&P	14	33⅝	33	33⅛	—⅛
do 7s pfd	1	88½	....	88½	—⅛
do 6s pfd	2	76⅝	76⅛	76½	—⅛
Colo & Sou	2	43½	....	43½	—1
D L & W	2	111	110½	110½	—½
Erie	4	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	....
do 1st pf	1	17⅝	....	17⅝	....
do 2d pfd	1	12½	....	12½	....
Great N pfd	12	77⅛	76⅞	77⅛	•¼
K C South	2	24⅝	....	24⅝	....
L E & W pf	3	26	25½	25½	....
Lehigh Val	2	57⅞	57⅝	57⅞	—⅛
L & N	7	112½	....	112½	....
M K & T	14	3	....	3	....
do pfd	10	3½	3	3	....
M K & T w i	2	9⅞	....	9⅞	—⅛
do pfd w i	5	23⅝	23½	23½	....
M & StL new	1	6⅝	....	6⅝	....
MStPSSM pfd	1	93	....	93	....
Mo Pac	1	19	....	19	—⅛
do pfd	5	47	46⅝	46⅝	—⅛
Man El Guar	13	35½	35⅛	35⅛	—⅛
NRRM 2d pf	3	3⅝	3½	3⅝	....
NOT & Mex	1	60⅝	....	60⅝	....
N Y Cent	5	75½	75	75½	....
NY, NH&H	10	13½	13⅛	13½	....
NYO & W	1	20¼	....	20¼	—⅛
Norf & Sou	1	10	....	10	•¼
Norf & West	5	98⅞	98⅛	98⅞	•¼
do pfd	1	74⅝	....	74⅝	•¾
Nor Pac	24	82¼	81⅝	81⅝	•¼
Penna	27	34¼	34	34¼	....
Pere Marq	7	22⅞	22⅝	22⅝	—⅛
do pr pfd	3	64⅝	63	64⅝	—⅛
do pfd	1	62	....	62	—⅛
P & W Va	34	27⅞	27	27⅛	—⅛
Reading	7	73⅝	73⅛	73⅝	•¼
do 2d pfd	1	43½	....	43½	....
St L & S F	3	22⅞	22⅝	22⅞	....
Sou Ry	4	19⅝	....	19⅝	—⅛
do pfd	5	49⅝	48	48	—1⅛
South Pac	20	80⅞	....	80⅞	•¼
Tex & Pac	4	24⅝	....	24⅝	•¼
Union Pac	10	127	126⅛	126⅛	•⅛
do pfd	..	73½	....	73½	....
Wabash	1	7	....	7	....
do pfd A	4	21⅝	....	21⅝	•⅛
West Md	4	9	8⅞	9	•⅛
W & L E	1	8	....	8	•⅛

•Increase. —Decrease. ....Unchanged.

NOTE—Stocks quoted in the table are common stocks unless they carry the abbreviation "pfd." or are specified "rts." or "ctfs."

Wall Street News and Comment

SPECIAL DAILY—

By a Special Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Trading in the stock market this morning was quiet by comparison with yesterday. Interest was limited to a number of special issues, some of which were weak, but most of which went higher. On the whole the market position at the end of the day was very little changed. There was no suggestion, any more than there had been the previous days, of the reaction which the trading element has been discussing. On the contrary, nearly all of the fresh initiative was on the side of rising prices.

No further light was thrown upon the negotiations for the new steel merger or upon the terms on which the various properties are to be taken in, but all the stock concerned got well above yesterday's prices.

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The Bond Market.

The greater part of the bond market today was practically at the levels established around the close yesterday. Liberty Bonds made the largest gains. Their activity together with the dealings in railway securities, most of which were steady, constituted the bulk of the trading. Foreign Governments generally were firm although a few of these issues, which fell off slightly yesterday, continued to decline fractionally. This was true of City of Copenhagen 5s, and City of Rio de Janeiro 8s at 101½.

Again today there was considerable demand for the Missouri, Kansas & Texas issues. The adjustment 5s, on a when-issued basis were in demand and crossed 43 for the first time. The 4s and 5s, series A, also on a when-issued basis, advanced fractionally. Union Pacific 6s gained slightly. Likewise Pere Mrquette first 5s, the New York Central debenture 6s and 3½s Erie convertible 4s, series D and Reading 4s were notably strong. On the other hand, weakness was displayed in such bonds as the New Haven debenture 6s and Denver & Rio Grande 4s.

In the Industrial section the majority of the representative issues were very little changed. American Smelting and Refining 5s continued reactionary. The transactions and public utilities were steady.

Boston Stock Market

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BOSTON, Dec. 3.—That following list includes highest, lowest and closing prices for the most active securities dealt in today on the Boston Stock Exchange.

STOCKS.	High.	Low.	Closing.
Amoskeag	98¼	98¼	98¼
Boston & Albany	131⅝	131¾	131¾
Calumet & Hecla	255	253	253
Carson Hill Mining	12	11½	12
Copper Range	39¼	39¼	39¼
Davis Daily	6¾	6⅝	6¾
East Butte	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝
Eastern S S	31½	31½	31½
Island Creek	81½	81½	81½
Maine Central	34	34	34
Mass Gas	65	63	63
Mohawk	56½	56½	56½
New Cornelia	16⅝	16⅝	16⅝
North Butte	12⅝	12½	12½
Gold Dominion	24	24	24
Quincy	42½	42½	42½
Swift & Co	100½	100⅛	100½
Shoe Mach	38½	37½	38¼
United Verde	1½	1⅛	1¼
Ventura Oil	19⅝	19⅝	19⅝
Waldorf	25	24⅝	25
West End	50⅝	50⅝	50⅝

Drygoods Market Review.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Cotton goods markets were quiet, with some sales of print cloths made for next year's delivery on a basis of 8⅛c for 33½-ton 64x60s. Cotton yarns were a shade more active at lower prices. Raw wool markets were firmer and raw silk higher. Burlaps were somewhat steadier, with trading light.

Paris Market Active.

PARIS, Dec. 3.—Trading was active on the Bourse today. Three per cent rentes, 55 francs, 25 centimes. Exchange on London, 55 francs, 50 centimes. Five per cent loan, 80 francs, 20 centimes. The dollar was quoted at 13 francs, 71 centimes.

NEW YORK BONDS

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Total sales of bonds on the stock exchange today were $11,156,000 against $19,058,000 yesterday, $13,074,000 a week ago, $8,109,000 a year ago and $12,591,000 two years ago. From Jan. 1 to date $3,199,435,000 against $3,406,750,000 a year ago and $2,754,401,000 twoyears ago.

Following is a complete list of bond sales today. Total sales of each security and the high, low, and closing prices are given.

(In $1000)

Sales.	SECURITY.	High.	Low.	Close.
	GOVERNMENT BONDS.			
124	U S Lib 3½s	96.30	96.18	96.28
4	U S Lib 2d 4s	97.62	97.58	97.62
69	U S L 1st 4¼s	97.80	97.54	97.62
1	U S L 1 4¼s R	97.54	97.54	97.54
785	U S L 2d 4¼s	97.70	97.50	97.60
3	USL 3d 4¼s R	97.32	97.32	97.30
885	USL 3d 4¼s	98.10	97.88	97.96
36	USL 3d 4¼s R	97.86	97.74	97.74
34	USL 4 4¼s R	97.70	97.62	97.62
2282	U S V 4¾s	100	99.96	99.98
13	U S V 4¾s R	99.80	99.80	99.80
125	U S V 3¾s	100	99.98	99.98
	FOREIGN BONDS.			
1	Arg G 5s	77	77	77
8	Belgium 8s	105	105	105
13	Belgium 6s 1925	95½	95¼	95½
2	Chi Rys 5s	43⅞	43	43⅞
6	City Bergen 8s	106	106	106
7	City Berne 8s	108⅝	108	108
111	City Bordeaux 6s	86⅝	86½	86½
19	Copenhagen 5½s	88	87½	87½
2	Christiania 8s	108½	108½	108½
80	City of Lyons 6s	86⅝	86½	86⅝
71	Marseilles 6s	86½	86½	86½
20	Rio de Jan 8s	102	101½	101½
1	Zurich 8s	107½	107½	107½
3	Dan Mun 8s B	108½	108½	108½
30	Canada 5s 1929	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛
8	Canada 5s 1926	96⅝	96½	96½
100	French Govt 8s	100	99⅝	99⅝
140	French 7½s	94½	94½	94½
15	Imp Jap 1st 4½s	86⅝	86½	86⅝
5	Imp Jap 2d 4½s	86⅝	86½	86½
23	Imp Jap st ln 4s	70½	70⅛	70½
21	Denmark 8s	109½	108½	108¼
5	Italy 6½s A '25	91	90½	91
6	Norway 8s	109½	109¼	109½
1	Sweden 6s	96⅝	96⅝	96⅝
14	Chile 8s 1941	103	102¾	102¾
24	Chile 8s 1946	102¾	102¼	102¼
13	Chile 8s 1926	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝
1	Uruguay 8s	103⅝	103⅝	103⅝
11	Queensland 7s	108	107⅞	107¾
14	Swiss Gvt 8s	113	112½	113
1	S of S P 8s	103	107	107
4	UKGB&I 5½s '22	99½	99½	99½
41	UKGB&I 5½s '29	96¼	95⅞	96
29	UKGB&I 5½s '37	95⅜	94⅞	94½
49	U S Brazil 8s	104½	104⅝	104⅝
68	US of Mex 5s	54	53	53
5	U S of Mex 4s	40	40	40
15	US Mex 5s large	50	50	50
	RAILWAYS AND MISCELLANEOUS.			
11	Am Ag Ch 7½s	102	101¾	102
8	Amer Smelting 5s	87½	87	87½
39	A T & T cvt 6s	108	108	108
5	A T & T col tr 5s	95¼	95¼	95¼
3	A T & T col 4s	87⅞	87⅝	87⅝
28	At T S F gen 4s	85⅝	85	85½
5	A T & SF T SL 4	79	79	79
3	A &C A L 5 S B	91⅝	91⅝	91⅝
22	Atl Fruit ctf 7s	25	24½	25
7	Atlas Pow 7½s	103⅞	103⅞	103⅞
9	B & O ref 5s	79⅝	79⅝	79⅝
3	B & O gold 4s	77⅞	77⅝	77⅝
10	B & O pr li 5½s	91¼	91	91¼
12	B O 4s T&C div	65¼	64¼	65¼
33	B&O 3½ Swn div	87¼	87¼	87¼
6	Bell Tel of Pa 7s	108	107⅝	108
2	Beth Stl ref 5s	90¼	90	90
7	Beth Stl 5s 1936	87	87	87
1	Braden Copper 6s	105⅝	105⅝	105⅝
5	Bush Term 4s	90	90	90
1	Can North 7s	109⅝	109⅝	109⅝
4	Can Nor db 6½s	107¾	107¾	107¾
10	Cent og Ga 1st 6s	97½	97½	97½
10	Cent RR N J 5s	103	103	103
25	Cerro de P cvt 8s	114	114	114
2	Ches & O cvt 5s	86½	86½	86½
1	Ches & O gn 4½s	83⅞	83⅞	83⅞
72	Ches & O cv 4½s	84½	84⅛	84½
3	Chi & A rfg 3s	52¾	52⅝	52¾
10	CB&Q 4s Ill div	84½	84½	84½
10	CB&Q joint 6½s	107¾	107	107
16	C & E Ill 4s ctf	34½	34	34½
29	C G West 4s	62	62	62
11	CMStP cv 5s B	65	64⅝	65
3	SM&StP gen 4s	82⅛	82⅛	82⅛
16	CMStP cvt 4½s	65¼	65⅛	65¼
6	CMStP rfg 4½s	60⅞	59⅞	59¾
5	CMStP db 4s '34	60½	60½	60½
5	CMStP 4s Pg Sd	69	69	69
5	C & N W 6½s	108	108	108
5	C & N W ext 4s	99⅝	99½	99⅝
17	C & N W gen 4s	70	70	70
24	CRI & P R rfg 4	78	77½	78
2	Chi U S 4½s Ss A	88½	88½	88½
20	C W Ind 7½s	101½	101½	101½
7	C & W Ind 4s	69	69	69
1	Chile Cop cvt 7s	99¾	99½	99¾
10	Co & Su rfg 4½	84½	84½	84½
2	Com-Tab Rec 6s	90½	90	90½
10	Con Gas cvt 7s	104½	104½	104½
5	Cub-Am Sug 8s	105	104½	104½
12	Cuban Rv 5s	75½	75½	75½
10	Del & Hud cvt 5s	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝
2	De Mo & Ft D 4s	42	42	42
10	Det Ed 5s 1940	91¼	91¼	91¼
4	Dist Sec Cor 5s	51	51	51
5	Dul & Iron R 5s	93½	93½	93½
10	Dupo Pow 7½s	105½	104⅝	105¼
9	Duquesne L&P 6	101¼	101¼	101¼
25	Erie gen lien 4s	47	46⅝	46⅝
1	Erie pr lien 4s	60⅞	60⅞	60⅞
9	Erie cv 4s A	39⅝	39⅝	39⅝
113	Erie cv 4s D	43⅛	42⅞	43⅛
1	Erie & Jer 6s	88	88	88
20	Fisk Rub 8s	100⅝	100	100⅝
30	Ft W & D C ctf	100	100	100
30	FtW & D C ctfs	100	100	100
15	Gen El deb 6s	106⅝	106	106⅛
41	Granby M 6s '31	99⅝	99½	99⅝
2	Granby M 8s	85½	85½	85½
3	Gr Tr Can 7s	110	109½	110
38	Gr Rap & I 6s	100⅛	100	100⅛
30	Gr Nor 7s	108¼	108	108¼
14	H E 5s	76	75½	76
7	H & M raf 5s S A	75½	75½	75¼
4	H & M adj inc 5s	46	46	46
8	Ill Cen 5½s	98⅛	97½	97½
1	Ill Cen rfg 4s	82½	82½	82½
12	Ill Cen 4s 1953	79	78⅝	79
3	I R T ref 5s	54½	54	54¼
1	K M & of 6s	92¼	92	92¼
6	K C F S & M 6s	101¾	101	101¾
19	K C F S & M 4s	76	75½	76
8	K C S 5s	84½	84½	84½
2	KCSou 1st 3s	64⅝	64⅝	64⅝
2	KCTerm 1st 4s	80½	80⅝	80½
10	Kelly-Sp T 8s	104	104	104
2	Lac G StL 1st 5s	85½	85½	85½
21	LS&MS d 4s '28	91¾	91½	91¾
1	L Is deb 5s '37	77⅝	77⅝	77⅝
2	Lorillard Co 5s	90¼	90¼	90¼
23	L&N unified 4s	88½	88½	88½
10	L&N Bdge 4s	76¼	76¼	76¼
3	Manhat R con 4s	60¼	60¼	60⅛
6	Mkt H R con 4s	83¼	83	83
3	Marland O 8s	98¼	98⅛	98¼
1	Mich S Tel 5s	96	96	96
2	Midvale S cvt 5s	83½	83¼	83¼
3	Milwaukee G 5s	90⅝	90⅝	90⅝
10	MSP&SSM con 6½s	102	102	102
38	MK&T 1st 4s	73	72	72½
51	MK&T 2d 4s	47⅝	47½	47½
27	MK&T 2d 4s ctfs	47½	47⅜	47½
97	M K & T 5 notes	57¼	57	57⅛
1	M K & T rfg 4s	72	72	72
14	M K & T adj 5s	43½	43	43½
1	M K & T 4s	62½	62⅛	62½
23	M K & T 5s ctf	77½	77⅛	77⅞
66	M K & T 6s	93	93	93
8	Mo Pac rfg 5s '26	92¼	92¼	92¼
2	Mo Pac 5s, 1965	86½	86½	86½
21	Mo Pac gen 4s	61⅝	61½	61⅝
13	Mont P Co 5s S A	93⅝	93½	93⅝
1	Montreal T col 5s	83	83	83
1	New O & N E 4½	84¼	84¼	84¼
13	N O T & M inc 5s	67	66½	66½
3	N Y Air Br cvt 5s	96	96	96
1	NYC 4½s 1967	100⅝	103⅝	103⅝
1	NYC 4s 1957	90½	90½	90½
14	NYC&HR 3½s	74¼	74	74⅛
20	NYC&HD deb 6s	100	99⅝	100
7	NYC&HR r.-l 4½	87	85	86½
5	NYC&HR col 7s	705¼	105	105¼
6	NYCHR con 4s	76	76	76
5	NY C StL deb 4	83	83	83
1	NY GEL&PCo 5s	92	92	92
2	NYC&HR c 6 '47	69¼	60¼	60¼
3	NYSt Ry con 4½	62	62	62
10	N Y Tel deb 6	101⅝	101	101⅝
23	N Y Tel gen 4½	88	88	88
146	N Y Tel ref 6 '41	100½	100	100½
5	N Y W & Bos 4½	34	33¾	34
140	N Y Edison 6½	105¾	105½	105¾
2	Niagara F Pow 5s	95½	95½	95½
5	N P prior lien 4s	88¾	88¾	88¾
5	N P gen 3s	61⅝	60½	61¼
2	North S P 1st 5s	89	88⅜	89
13	Northw Bell Tel 7s	107¼	105⅝	107
1	O R & N con 4s	84⅝	84⅝	84⅝
1	O Short L 1st 6s	100	100	100
3	Pac G & Elec 5s	89½	89⅛	89½
1	Packard Mot 8s	100¼	100¼	100¼
24	Penn R R 7s '30	106	105½	106
19	Penn R R 5s	96⅝	96½	96½
6	Pa R R gold 6½s	106	105¾	106
24	Pa R R G M 4½s	87⅜	87	87
2	Pa r r con 4s '48	86½	86½	86½
5	P G & C of Chi 5s	85	85	85
10	Pere Mar rfg 5s	88½	88½	88½
2	Port R L & P 5s	80	79¾	80
2	Reading gen 4s	82	82	82
25	Rep I & S 5s	90¾	90⅜	90⅜
2	R I Ark & L 4½s	79½	79¼	79½
10	Rome W & O 5s	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝
26	StLIM & S ref 4s	84	83	84
25	SLIM&SR&Gdiv4s	77	76¾	76¾
11	StL&SF pr ln 4A	68¾	68⅝	68¾
6	StL&SF 5s ser B	82¾	82½	82½
26	StL&SF g 6 serC	96⅛	96	96
9	StL&SF adj 5s	73	72½	72½
19	StL&SF inc 6s	55	54½	54¼
1	St L S W 1st 4s	78	78	78
5	St L S W T 5s	74	74	74
10	StP&KCSL 4½s	79	79	79
1	Seabd A L gld 4	74⅝	74⅝	74⅝
3	Sea AL gl 4s, st	53½	53	53¼
18	Seab A L cn 6s	42	40½	42
50	Sinc Oil cvt 7½s	99¾	99½	99½
50	Sou Pac cv 4s	87¾	87¼	87½
20	Sou Pac rfg 4s	85½	85⅛	85¼
63	Sou Ry gen 4s	63½	63	63¼
3	S O of C deb 7s	106½	106⅛	106½
25	St & T C of A 7s	100¾	98	98
6	Third Av adj 5s	46½	46½	46½
4	Tidew O Co 6½s	100	100	100
7	Un Pac 6s	102¼	102	102
1	Un Pac 1st 4s	88¾	88¾	88¾
6	Un Pac cvt 4s	90	90	90
2	Un Pac ref 4s	84	84	84
16	Un Drug 8s	105	104	105
11	U S Rub 7s	101⅛	101	101
17	U S Rubber 5s	86	85½	85⅛
2	US SR&Min 6s	98	98	98
23	U S Stl s f 5s	99	98½	98½
10	Utah & Nor 5s	88½	88½	88⅛
10	Va-Caro Ch 7½s	97	96⅞	97
6	Va Railways 5s	91¼	91	91¼
3	Wabash 2d 5s	85⅞	85½	85⅞
2	West Pac 5s	86	86	86
18	West U Col 6½s	107	107	107
1	West Shore 4s	80½	80½	80½
20	Westing Elec 7s	105¾	105¼	105¼
2	W & L E 4s	64¼	64¼	64¼
32	Wickr Spen Stl 7s	98	97¼	97½
9	Wilson Co 1st 6s	97½	96½	97
7	Wilson Co cvt 6s	88½	88½	88½
3	Wis Cent gen 4s	77	77	77
2	Wis Cen S&D 4s	78¾	78¾	78¾

LIBERTY BOND QUOTATIONS.	Due.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
Lib. 3½s	1932-47	96.30	96.18	96.26	96.18
do 2d 4s	1927-42	97.60	97.52	97.52	97.42
do 1 4¼s	1932-47	97.80	97.54	97.62	97.44
do 2 4¼s	1927-42	97.70	97.50	97.60	97.58
do 3 4¼s	1928	98.10	97.78	97.96	97.88
do 4 4¼s	1933-38	97.94	97.74	97.92	97.80
Vic. 4¾s	1922-23	100	99.96	99.98	100
do 3¾s	1922-23	100	99.98	99.98	99.98

COTTON MARKET RULES STEADY AT WEEK-END IN NEW YORK

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—The cotton market opened steady at an advance of 7 to 13 points under further covering for over the week-end and scattered buying promoted by reports concerning the pink boll worm situation in the Southwest, more optimistic feeling over the results of the Washington conference and bullish comment on the week-end figures which had inspired some buying yesterday afternoon. The bulge met some realizing, however, and a little Southern selling under which prices soon eased, with January selling off from 17.25c to 17.10c, or about 2 points below last night's closing figures.

Sales of print cloths in the Fall River market for the week were a shade heavier, but there were continued complaints of a poor demand for goods at first hand and week-end cables reported no improvement in Manchester.

The market was firmer later on reports that non-cotton-producing zones would be established in all sections of Texas infected by the pink boll worm and further covering for over the week-end. January sold up to 17.43 and closed at 17.39, with the general market closing steady at a net advance of 22 to 27 points.

Cotton futures closed steady: December, 17.52c; January, 17.39c; March, 17.3..; May, 17.10c; July, 16.63c.

Spot cotton quiet; middling, 17.80c.

ST. LOUIS STOCKS

Local Bank Clearings

TODAY	$24,600,000
FRIDAY	23,900,000
THURSDAY	22,400,000
WEDNESDAY	22,400,000
TUESDAY	19,200,000
MONDAY	25,000,000

Transactions on the St. Louis Stock Exchange, at the week-end session, in the aggregate amounted to 1439 shares of stock.

The following is a list of sales made, the prices paid and the net changes as compared with the preceding day's sales or last preceding quotations. •Increase. —Decrease. ....Unchanged.

STOCKS.	Sales.	Price.	Net Ch'ge.
Brown Shoe com	2	40½	—2
Best-Clymer pfd	100	28	—2
International Shoe com	100	37	....
International Shoe pfd	5	108¼	•¼
Certain-teed com	10	32½	....
National Candy com	25	64½	—¼
National Candy com	5	64¼	—½
Laclede Steel	5	86	•3
Mercantile Trust	1	318	—2
Wagner Electric	5	24	—1
Wagner Electric	10	23¾	—1
U. R. pfd	129	6½	—1⅛
La Del Oil	242	9⅝	—⅛
Indiahoma	385	4⅝	—⅛
Indiahoma	415	4⅝	•1¼

WEEK-END QUOTATIONS.

SECURITY.	Bid.	Asked.
Boatmen's Bank	125	....
Jefferson Bank	177	....
National Bank of Commerce	139	140
Title Guaranty Trust	....	50
American Bakery pfd	....	90
Best Clymer pfd	28	....
Brown Shoe pfd	....	90
Brown Shoe com	40¾	42½
Certain-teed Products 1st pfd	80	....
Certain-teed Products com	32	....
Emerson Electric pfd	75	....
Hamilton-Brown Shoe	....	155
Hydraulic Press Brick pfd	31	35
Hydraulic Press Brick com	5	5½
Indiahoma Refining Co	4⅝	4¾
International Shoe pfd	108	108½
International Shoe com	36⅝	37
Kinloch Long-Distance Tel	12⅝	....
Nat Candy 2d pfd	92	....
Nat Candy com	63⅝	64½
Temtor "A"	3½	4
Temtor "B"	1½	1¾
United Railways pfd	6	6½
Wagner Electric Mfg	23½	....
St L S Ry Gen Mort 5s	35	....
United Rys 4s	....	51½
Independent Breweries 6s	....	52¾

Movements of Steamships.

YOKOHAMA, Nov. 29.—Arrived: Chattanooga City, San Pedro; Kashima Maru, Seattle; Simaloer, San Francisco.

KOBE, Nov. 29.—Arrived: Shinyt Maru, San Francisco.

MANILA, Dec. 2.—Arrived, Golden State, San Francisco.

HONGKONG, Dec. 2.—Arrived, Keystone State, Seattle; Hawaii Maru, do; Rakuyo Maru, San Francisco.

AVONMOUTH, Dec. 2.—Arrived, Tactician, San Francisco.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Arrived, George Washington, Bremen and Southampton. Sailed, Wuerttemberg, Hamburg.

HAMBERG, Nov. 27.—Arrived, Hansa, New York.

QUEENSTOWN, Dec. 2.—Sailed, Centennial State, New York.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—Arrived, Virginian, Philadelphia. Sailed, William F. Herrin, Honolulu; Mexico, Salina Cruz.

Metals at St. Louis.

Lead was unchanged in St. Louis today at $4.45 per 100 lbs. Slab zinc was quoted at $4.80 per 100 lbs.

HOG PRICES RANGE HIGHER IN ACTIVE SATURDAY TRADE

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill., Dec. 3.—Today's estimated receipts: Cattle and calves, 200; hogs, 5000; sheep, none; horses and mules, 25.

CATTLE—Receipts were light here today and the few sales made were generally steady with Friday with the possible exception of veal calves. One string of these brought $8, comparing with a top of $9 Monday. Quality today, however, was not so good.

HOGS—Hog prices were well advanced in an active Saturday session, a light run, estimated at only 5000, proving much too small for trade requirements. Light weight hogs were up mostly, selling mostly 20c to 25c higher, while butchers and other classes were about 10c to 15c higher. Top on butchers was $7.35, with bulk from $7.20 to $7.40. Lights went mainly at one price —$7.35—and pigs from $7.20 to $7.40.

SHEEP—There was no trading in this department of the market today and quotations went unchanged. Choice Western and native lambs are bringing $9.75@10, fair to good $9@9.50, medium $8.50@9, feeders $8@8.75, culls $6@7, fat yearlings $8@8.50, handy-weight sheep $3.75@4 and heavy sheep $3@3.50. Fat sheep are 25@50c higher for the week, otherwise the market is unchanged, except for a better outlet for all aged classes.

HORSES AND MULES—There was not enough trading in progress in these departments today to make a market and quotations remain unchanged.

Live Stock Elsewhere

CHICAGO, Dec. 3 (U. S. Bureau of Markets).—Cattle—Receipts, 1000. Compared with a week ago, beef steers, strong, mostly 25c to 50c higher, with good to best little changed; fat she stock, 25c to 50c higher; canners and cutters, strong to 25c higher; bulls, about steady; veal calves, 50c to 75c higher, with desirable stock mostly 25 higher and others little changed.

Hogs—Receipts, 6000; fairly active and steady to 10c higher than yesterday's average; holdover light; top, $7.25 for 140-round averages; practical top, $7; bulk, $6.60@6.90; pigs, steady to 10c higher; bulk desirables, $7.10@7.15.

Sheep—Receipts, 2000; compared with a week ago, fat lambs and sheep mostly 50c higher; yearlings and feeder lambs, 50c to 65c higher.

New York Sugar.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—The raw sugar market was quiet and no sales were reported, prices were unchanged at 3.87@4.11 for centrifugal. The market for raw sugar futures was quiet and closing prices were unchanged to three points net lower, under scattered local selling. January, 2.17; March, 2.18; May, 2.27; July, 2.38. The demand for refined is still limited and prices were unchanged at 5.20 to 5.30 for fine granulated. Refined sugar futures were without transactions, closing unchanged to five points net hightr. January, March and May closed at 5.30 bid.

NEW YORK CURB

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Following is a list of today's highest, lowest and closing prices for the most active stocks dealt in on the Broad Sstreet Exchange:

Sales	Stocks	High.	Low.	Closing
	INDUSTRIALS.			
1,200	Acme Coal	1½	1⅜	1 7-16
1,900	Acme Pack	65	61	61
1,300	Burns Bros B	31⅝	31¼	31⅝
700	Farrell Coal	19⅝	19½	19½
100	Glen Alden C	43	43	43
1,400	Int. Uropes	17⅝	1½ ⅜	17⅜
700	Int Con Rub	6⅝	6	6⅛
200	Lincoln M A	1⅞	1⅝	1⅞
1,000	Perfection T	26	26	26
6,000	Rey R J "B"	37⅝	37	37
500	Sou Co & Ir	2½	2	2½
1,500	Sweets Co	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞
1,000	Sou States	42	42	42
1,900	Uni Prof Sh	1 1-16	1 1-16	1 1-16
600	Uni Re Can	5½	5⅜	5½
300	U S L & H	1	1	1
14,000	U S Sh Cor	10	7	10
100	U S Distrib	21	21	21
900	West E Ch	1 1-16	1	1 1-16
	INDEPENDENT OILS.			
9,000	Boone Oil	29	27	29
2,900	Boston Wy O	84	82	82
7,000	Carib Synd	5¼	5⅛	5⅛
240	Cities Serv	221	216	218
300	do B ctfs	24½	24½	24¼
6,000	Cont Pet	4⅛	3⅞	4⅛
2,400	Engineers Pt	63	62	63
13,600	Int Petro	17⅝	16½	17⅝
500	Keystone R	8	8	8
100	Livingston Pt	1½	1½	1½
1,300	Marland	2½	2	2½
6,400	Meridian Pet	15	14	15
46,000	Noble O & G	16	14	15
1,000	Ohio Ranger	8	8	8
700	Omar Oil	84	80	80
4,600	Simms Pet	11⅞	11⅝	11⅞
1,700	Skelly Oil	6⅛	6	6
200	Spencer Pet	100	80	100
	Sou Pet	5⅞	5⅝	5⅞
3,900	Tex Oil Land	72	71	72
2,600	Wilcox Oil	3½	3⅜	3½
2,500	Y Oil	75	75	75
	STANDARD OILS.			
800	Anglo-Am Oil	21⅝	21½	21⅝
500	Atlantic Lob	64	64	64
10	Buckeye P L	85½	85½	85½
865	Imp O Can	111½	109½	109⅝
22	Pr O & Gas	235	232	235
7	Sou Pn Oil	225	225	225
20	S O N Y	390	389	389
3,200	Sand O Ind	89	88½	88⅞
	MINING.			
1,700	Big Ledge	30	29	30
13,100	Bost & Mont	81	80	80
7,500	Cash By Con	7	6	7
1,600	Cortez Silv	86	86	86
1,000	Cons C Min	1⅝	1¼	1¼
1,000	Divide Exten	22	22	22
1,500	Eureka Cro	32	31	32
2,000	Hard Shell	30	30	30
36,000	Harmil D	21	19	21
2,500	McKin Dar	15	10	15
1,000	McNam Cres	9	9	9
18,600	National Tin	64	61	64
1,500	New Dom C	2½	2⅜	2⅜
100	Nipissing	6½	6½	6½
1,500	Rex Cons	8	8	8
300	Tonopah Div	62	61	62
1,900	Tuolumne	75	65	70
1,500	U S Contl	51	48	51
	BONDS (In $1000.)			
5	Allied P 6s, ct	46½	46½	46½
6	Alum 7s, 1933	103	102¾	103
13	AT&T 6s, 1922	100¼	99⅞	99⅞
1	AT&T 6s, 2024	99⅞	99⅞	99⅞
2	Anacconda 6s	97	97	97
3	Anac 7s, 1929	101⅝	101⅝	101⅝
5	Beth S 7s, '35	101	100⅞	101
5	Beth St 7s, 1923	100½	100½	100½
3	Beth St 7s, 1922	100½	100½	100½
3	Cent Stl 8s	100	100	100
10	Col Graph 8s	45	44	44⅝
11	Cons Gas 8s	101	100⅞	101
2	Cop Ex 8s, 1923	102	102	102
3	Cop Ex 8s, 1924	103½	103½	103½
2	Cop Ex 8s, 1925	104⅝	104⅝	104⅝
1	Galena Sig O 7s	101¼	101¼	101¼
7	Goodrich T 7s	98	98	98
4	Grand Trk 6½s	103½	103½	103½
3	Gulf Oil 7s	103	102⅞	103
11	Humble Oil 7s	100¼	100⅛	100¼
6	Int R T 8s	78½	78½	78½
1	Laclede Gas 7s	97⅝	97⅝	97⅝
3	Libby McN 7s	100⅞	100	100⅞
25	Phila Co 6s	95⅝	95⅝	95⅝
9	Philippine 6½s	105⅛	105	105
7	Scottish 7s	102½	102½	102½
3	Southw Bell 7s	101½	101½	101½
11	Swift Co 7s '25	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝
45	Uunited Oil 8s	99	90	90
2	Winchester 7½s	100	99⅞	100
	FOREIGN BONDS.			
42	Argentina 7s	100¼	99⅞	100¼
2	Swiss Gov 5½s	94	94	94

SNOW REPORTED IN KANSAS; WHEAT OFF

Wheat futures closed lower and corn steady on the Merchants' Exchange today. Report of snow in Kansas, where moisture was needed, more than offset report from seaboard that there was export call for wheat and corn. The coarse grain market was helped by the export situation.

December wheat opened at $1.09⅝, May wheat, $1.15; July wheat, $1.07¼; December corn, 48⅛c; May corn, 53⅝c, and July corn, 54⅛c.

The three northwestern markets Saturday combined had 1025 cars of wheat, compared with 1079 week ago and 862 last year. Minneapolis Saturday receiving 253 cars, Dultuh 70 and Winnipeg 702.

Local wheat receipts Saturday, which were 67,360 bushels, compared with 39,600 week ago and 105,953 last year, included 46 cars local and 10 through. Corn receipts were 171,600 bushels, compared with 81,900 week ago and 58,500 last year, included 99 cars local and 33 through. Oats receipts were 42,000 bushels, compared with 16,000 week ago and 72,000 last year, included 18 cars local and 3 through.

Grain stocks in St. Louis public elevators Saturday included 2,362,448 bushels of wheat, 51,697 corn and 766,338 oats. Wheat stocks comprised 49,157 bushels of No. 1 red winter wheat; 691,535 bushels of No. 2 red winter wheat; 112,639 bushels of No. 1 hard winter wheat; 545,579 bushels of No. 2 hard winter wheat; 983 bushels of No. 2 corn; 4715 bushels of No. 2 white corn; 25,752 bushels of No. 2 yellow corn; 5089 bushels of No. 2 oats; 330,056 bushels of No. 2 white oats; 229,511 bushels of No. 3 white oats; 54,399 bushels of No. 2 rye; 6299 bushels kaffir corn.

Primary receipts of wheat were heavier than a week ago and lighter than last year, being 1,070,000 bushels, compared with 818,000 a week ago and 1,128,000 last year. Corn receipts were heavier than a week ago and heavier than last year, being 1,293,000 bushels, compared with 784,000 a week ago and 487,000 last year. Oats receipts were heavier than a week ago and heavier than last year, being 607,000 bushels, compared with 316,000 a week ago and 412,000 last year.

Primary shipments of wheat were heavier than a week ago and heavier than last year, being 1,073,000 bushels, compared with 1,028,000 a week ago and 990,000 last year. Corn shipments were lighter than a week ago and heavier than last year, being 376,000 bushels, compared with 446,000 a week ago and 342,000 last year. Oats shipments were heavier than a week ago and lighter than a year ago, being 297,000 bushels, compared with 285,000 a week ago and 434,000 last year.

Grain clearances included 324,000 bu of wheat, 228,000 bu of corn and 22,000 barrels of flour and 423,000 wheat and flour.

While wheat futures were selling down Saturday on report of snow in Kansas, cash wheat brought unchanged prices. Milling demand was light. Offerings were small. There was little hard wheat here. Cash corn was active and strong on export demand principally, prices being as much as 1c up in some cases. There was a good cleanup. Cash oats met good local demand and prices were steady to ½c higher.

Sales were made at the following prices in the cash wheat market:

No. 3 red winter wheat, $1.19@1.20; No. 2 corn, 49⅛@50c; No. 3 corn, 48½@49½c; No. 2 yellow corn, 50@50½c; No. 3 yellow corn, 49½c; No. 4 yellow corn, 49c; No. 5 yellow corn, 48@48½c; No. 1 white corn, 50½c; No. 2 white corn, 50c; No. 2 white oats, 36½c; No. 3 white oats, 34½@36½c; No. 4 white oats, 34@34½c.

SNOW AND EXPORT CALL FACTORS IN GRAIN TRADE

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Wheat started from ½c to 1c lower on the Chicago Board today, mainly because of reports of beneficial snows and rains over some of the dry sections of the Southwest winter wheat belt. Opening prices were: Dec., $1.13 to $1.13½; May, $1.16⅛ to $1.16⅝; July, $1.08⅛ to $1.08⅛. Later there was a strengthening tendency in December on word from the seaboard that export demand showed signs of reviving but the deferred options continued weak and at the end of the first hour May was $1.16⅛ and July $1.07⅞.

Later support came out for May and a strong rally marked by week-end evening up sent prices at one time above yesterday's finish. Trading died down in the final half-hour and the close was barely steady, with December, $1.12⅞ to $1.12; May, $1.16⅝ to $1.16½, and July weak at $1.05⅝ to $1.06½.

Corn was fairly strong despite the condition of the wheat market, export demand being the chief factor. First prices were unchanged to ¼c lower with Dec. 48½c and May 54⅝c to 54⅝c.

Cash demand kept corn prices near the top throughout the session. At the close December was 48⅞@49c; May, 54⅝c to 54⅝@58⅝c, and July, 56⅛c.

Oats opened unchanged to ½c higher, December being offered at 32⅛c and May commanding 38⅝@38⅝c to 38⅝c.

Provisions were dull with the packing house strike in prospect. In lard, January and May started 2½ higher at 8.52 and 8.92 respectively, but quickly lost seven points. May ribs showed 7.75, a decline of 2½, early in the session.

Cash Grain Prices

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 3.—Cash wheat, No. 2 hard, $1.08@1.17; No. 2 red, $1.12@1.13. Corn, No. 2 white, 42@42½c; No. 2 yellow, 44c; No. 3 yellow, 43c. Oats, No. 2 white, 34½@35c; No. 2 mixed, 32c. Rye, 72c. Barley, 42@46c. Hay, unchanged.

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Cash wheat No. 2 hard $1.15¼. Corn No. 2 mixed 50@50½c; No. 2 yellow 50¼@51c. Oats No. 2 white 36c; No. 3 white 33¼@34¼c. Rye nominal. Barley 54@59c. Timothy seed $5@6. Clover seed $12.50@18.50. Pork nominal. Lard $8.50. Ribs $7@7.75.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Dec. 3.—Wheat: Cash, No. 1 northern, $1.27⅞@1.29⅞; Dec., $1.23¼; May, $1.22¼. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 41@42c. Oats—No. 3 white, 30¼@31¼c. Barley, 36@51c. Rye, No. 2, 80@80½c. Flax, No. 1, $1.77@1.85.

TOLEDO, O., Dec. 3.—Cloverseed, prime cash, $12.55; December, $12.57½; January, $12.60; February, $12.65; March, $12.55.

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 3.—Wheat, No. 2 hard, $1.05; No. 2 mixed, $1.18. Corn, No. 2 white, 40½c; No. 2 yellow, 41@41½c. Oats, No. 3 white, 30½@30¾c; No. 4 white, 30¼c.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Dec. 3.—Flour unchanged to 15c lower. $7.25@8. Bran, $17@18.

Flaxseed.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Dec. 3.—Flax, No. 1, $1.77 to $1.85.

DULUTH, Minn., Dec. 3.—Flaxseed, $1.81½@1.84⅛.

New York Coffee.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Coffee—Rio No. 7, 9 3-16c. Futures steady; March, 8.48c; July, 8.44c.

Future Grain Prices

ST. LOUIS MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE, Dec. 3.—Following is the official record of today's high, low, closing and previous close in local market and quotations as received from Kansas City and Chicago markets:

	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday.
DECEMBER WHEAT.				
St. L.	110⅝b	109½	109⅝a	110½a
Chi.	113⅜	112¼	112⅞@⅝	113⅜-½
K. C.	105½	104	104½a	105½b
MAY WHEAT.				
St. L.	115⅝	114⅝	114⅝b	115⅝a
Chi.	117⅝	116	116⅝@½	117½-¾
K. C.	109½-⅝	108	108⅞@⅝b	109½b
JULY WHEAT.				
St. L.	107¼	105a	105a	107¼b
Chi.	108⅝	106⅝	106⅝@¼	109-08⅞
K. C.	101	99⅞@¼	99⅞@⅝a	101¼b
DECEMBER CORN.				
St. L.	48½	48a	48⅝a	48⅛b
Chi.	49	48½	48⅝@49	48½a
K. C.	42	41⅝	41⅝	42a
MAY CORN.				
St. L.	53½	53⅛	53⅛a	53⅝b
Chi.	54⅞-55	54½	54⅝-⅝-¾	54⅝-⅝
K. C.	42@¼	47½	47½@⅝b	47½-48b
JULY CORN.				
St. L.	54⅞	54⅛	54⅛	54⅝n
Chi.	56⅜	56⅝	56⅛a	56⅝a
DECEMBER OATS.				
St. L.	....	....	35½a	35n
Chi.	33	32½-⅝	32½@⅝	32⅞
MAY OATS.				
St. L.	....	....	39½a	39a
Chi.	38⅝	38⅛	38½b	38⅞@⅞
JULY OATS.				
St. L.	....	....	40½a	....
Chi.	39⅝	39⅝	39½	39⅝b
DECEMBER RYE.				
Chi.	....	....	85b	85b
MAY RYE.				
Chi.	91	90	91	90⅝b

Daily Grain Movement

In the following table will be found receipts and shipments of grain in bushels (000 omitted):

	WHEAT. Rec.	WHEAT. Ship.	CORN. Rec.	CORN. Ship.	OATS. Rec.	OATS. Ship.
St. Louis	67	24	172	63	42	35
Chicago	34	27	523	92	130	85
Minneapolis	336	58	62	35	158	36
Kan. City	366	119	81	66	17	19
Milwaukee	5	52	60	24	36	58
Duluth	156	743	10	....	....	....
Toledo	8	38	13	1	4	2
St. Joseph	39	20	48	12	2	....
Peoria	4	1	90	32	79	42
Indianapolis	10	3	18	35	12	22
Detroit	4	4	3	....	6	....
Baltimore	87	98	114	142	....	....
Philadelphia	443	610	5	....	10	....
Boston	11	....	....	....	20	44
Galveston	4	....	....	....	....	....
New Orleans	15	....	231	86	....	....
New York	318	120	98	....	....	30
Omaha	48	29	136	49	22	2

Chicago Provisions

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Following is a report of today's high, low, close and previous closing quotations in the provisions market:

	High.	Low.	Close.	Friday.
PORK.				
Jan.	....	....	$15.25	$15.35
LARD.				
Jan.	$8.52	$8.45	8.45	8.50
May	8.92	8.82	8.85	8.90
RIBS.				
Jan.	....	....	7.37	7.40
May	....	....	7.72	7.77

Produce Elsewhere

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Butter, barely steady; receipts, 5489; creamery, higher than extras, 47@47½c; creamery extras (92 score), 46@46½c; creamery firsts, 38 to 91 score), 39@45c; packing stock, current make, No. 2, 29c.

Eggs—Irregular; receipts, 10,024; fresh gathered extra firsts, 62@65c; do firsts, 55@60c.

Cheese, steady; receipts, 1548; state, whole milk, flats, fresh specials, 21@22c; do average run, 20@21½c; state, whole milk twins, specials, 21@22c; do average run, 20@20½c.

Live and dressed poultry quiet; prices unchanged.

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Potatoes—Receipts, 46 cars; total U. S. shipments, 464; slightly stronger; Wisconsin round whites, sacked, $1.60@1.80; bulk, $1.70@1.90; Minnesota round whites, sacked, $1.65@1.80; sacked Red Rivers, $1.50@1.60; Sandland early Ohios, sacked, $1.05@1.25; Idaho russets, sacked (one car), $2.10.

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Butter 4c lower; creamery extras, 45c; firsts, 36@43c; seconds, 33@35c; standards, 38½c. Eggs unchanged; receipts, 1725 cases.

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Poultry—Alive unchanged.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 3.—Butter, 1c higher; creamery, 45c. Eggs, unchanged. Poultry, Turkeys, 2c higher, 34c; others, unchanged.

NATIONAL LEATHER CAPITAL CUT

Financial Reorganization Plan Is Adopted by Stockholders.

By the Associated Press.

PORTLAND, Me., Dec. 3.—A plan to reorganize the financial structure of the National Leather Co. was approved at a special meeting of stockholders here yesterday.

It was voted to reduce the capitalization from $30,000,000 to $7,500,000 through cancellation of common stock to offset an accumulated loss of approximately $21,000,000 due to deflation of the value of the products of the company.

A motion for a restraining order which would have prevented the meeting was withdrawn at a hearing before Federal Judge Clarence Hale, satisfaction having been acknowledged by counsel for Edward K. Lockwood of Springfield, Ill., a shareholder, for whom a bill in equity was filed.

PROFIT-TAKING MARKS CURB TRADE AFTER RISE

Oil Shares Attract Most Attention Though Interest Shown in Minings.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Business was fair on the curb exchange today, but after early advances had been recorded in some issues there was a somewhat easier tendency due to the taking of profits. The oil shares attracted most attention, but some interest was shown in mining issues, Cortez Silver being active and strong, with a good demand for a time in Eureka Croesus and Boston and Montana. Acme Coal was more active. The tobacco stocks were easier.

Anglo-American and Simms Petroleum were features of the oil list, both being in demand at higher levels. Standard Oil of Indiana eased off on profit-taking. Small advances were recorded in International Petroleum and Imperial Oil of Canada.

Philip Morris led the list in the tobaccos. United Retail Candy, which usually moves with the tobaccos, acted independently and moved up a small fraction. Business was smaller in bonds. The tone was steady and price changes generally were confined in fractional limits.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry

St. Louis commission houses paid the following prices today to farmers and country shippers for round lots of the various articles (small orders are usually quoted higher):

EGGS—Fresh country candled, 50c; do, cases returned, 49c; Southern and ordinary firsts, 47@48c.

BUTTER—Creamery extras, 46c; standard, 37c; first, 35c; seconds, 30c; packing stock, 19c.

CHEESE—(Per pound): Northern twins at 19½c; singles at 20c; longhorns at 21½c; daisies at 21½c; Y. A. at 21½c; prints at 21½c; Swiss at 40c to 55c; brick at 23c.

LIVE POULTRY—Fowls, 4 lbs. and over, 20c; fowls, light, 14c; cocks, 10c; cull chickens, 8c; broilers, 24c; spring chickens, 18c; leghorns and black springs, 15c; turkeys, 35c; old toms, 32c; cull turkeys, 20c; ducks, pound, 19c; muscovy ducks, 12; geese, 20; old guineas, $3; young guineas, 1½ pounds and over, $7; young guineas, 1½ pounds, $6; under 1½ pounds not wanted.

DRESSED POULTRY—Turkeys, dry-picked, 39c; scalded, 37c; old toms, 35c; culls, 25c; fowls, heavy, 24c; light, 18c; cocks, 13c; spring chickens, 22c½ broilers, 29c; ducks, 23c; geese, 24c.

PIGEONS AND SQUABS—Live pigeons, $1 per dozen; common live squabs at 75c per doz.; dressed squabs 60c per lb., small and dark at 40c per lb.

VEALS—Choice 110@140 pounds at 7c; per lb.; 150 to 170 lbs. at 4½@6½c per lb.; 180 to 200 lbs. at 2½@4½c; rough, coarse, underfed, underweight, etc., 3@7c, according to quality. Sheep, 1@2c; bucks, 2c; spring lambs, 6c to 8c.

RABBITS—$1.50 per dozen.

VEGETABLES.

BEETS—Old home-grown, 25c to 35c per dozen bunches, 50c per bu box.

CARROTS—Home-grown, 30c to 35c per dozen bunches; 75c per box; New York sacked, $1.50 to $2.

CUCUMBERS—Illinois hot-house 2doz. boxes, $5.50 to $6.

CABBAGE—$30 to $50 per ton.

CAULIFLOWER—California, $1.75 to $2.25 per crate.

CELERY—Michigan crates, $2 to $4; California large crates, $3 to $5.50; New York, 2-3 crates, $2.75 to $3.25; Oregon large crates, $6.75.

EGGPLANT—Florida 1½-bu crates, $2 to $2.50; Texas bu crates, 50c.

GARLIC—Louisiana loose, 5c to 11c per pound.

GREEN ONIONS—Home-grown, 15c to 20c per dozen bunches.

HORSERADISH—Home-grown, $7 to $7.50 per 100 pounds for No. 1; $3 to $4 for No. 2.

LETTUCE—Home-grown, 15c to 50c per bu box; California iceberg, $2.40 to $3 per crate; New York big Boston, $1.75 to $2.25.

MUSTARD GREENS—Home-grown, 10c per bu box.

POTATOES (100 pounds)—Colorado brown beauty, $1.70 to $1.90; russet burbanks, $1.90 to $2; Red River Ohios, $1.40 to $1.50; Northern round white, $1.25 to $1.60; Wisconsin rurals, $1.60; Minnesota white, $1.30 to $1.60.

PARSLEY—Home-grown, 15c to 20c per dozen bunches; Louisiana, 30c per dozen bunches.

ONIONS (100 pounds)—California white, $5.50; sacked medium to fancy, $4.50 to $5.50; No. 2, small and poor, 75c to $3.

PARSNIPS—Home-grown washed, 50c to 60c per box.

STRING BEANS—Alabama short hampers, $2; Florida fancy, $4; Texas bu hampers, 25c to 75c.

RADISHES—Louisiana tips, 20c to 25c per doz.

RUTABAGAS—Home-grown, $1.25 per 100 pounds.

SALSIFY—Home-grown, 40c to 45c per dozen bunches.

SPINACH—Home-grown, 20c to 25c per bu box.

SQUASH—Home-grown hubbard, 75c to $1 per bu box; pumpkin, 40c per 100 lbs.

SWEET POTATOES—Home-grown Bermuda, 40c to 50c, and white, 40c to 50c per bu box; yellow, 50c; nansemond, 60c to 75c; nancy hall, 65c to 70c; Tennessee nancy hall, bu hampers, $1 to $1.40.

TURNIPS—Home-grown, 15c to 20c per dozen; $35c per bu box.

TOMATOES—California, $5.50 for repacked; Texas flat crates, 50c.

FRUITS.

APPLES—Boxed jonathan, $2 to $2.55; wagner, $1.70 to $1.85; spitzenburg, $2.70 to $2.90; rome beauty, $2.05 to $2.10; Idaho winesap, $7.50 per barrel; jonathan, $2.40 per bu basket.

CANTALOUPES — California casabas, $1.50 to $1.75 per crate.

CRANBERRIES—Jersey late red, $12 per half bbl.

ORANGES—California Valencias, $4 to $6.50; Florida Valencias, $3.50 to $4.50.

RATES ON STEEL REDUCED

St. Paul Line Makes Cut to Meet Competition.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad yesterday gave notice of the first cut in transportation rates for iron and steel products to meet competition of intercoastal lines and the direct transpacific business from Easton and Southern ports.

The new rate from Chicago to the Pacific coast is 50 cents per 100 pounds and from Pittsburg, 59 cents per 100 pounds. These rates represent a saving of 21 cents per 100 pounds from Both Chicago and Pittsburg and are expected to become effective immediately after Jan. 1.

Early Shopping Gives Ample Time for Careful Selection
ONLY 18 MORE Shopping Days Until CHRISTMAS
Nothing Is Gained by Putting Off Your Purchasing.
It Pays to Read the Advertisements in the Post-Dispatch.

DIVIDEND NOTICE
Swift & Company
Union Stock Yards, Chicago
Dividend No. 144
Dividend of TWO DOLLARS ($2.00) per share on the capital stock of Swift & Company, will be paid on January 1, 1922, to stockholders of record, December 10, 1921, as shown on the books of the Company.
On account of annual meeting, transfer books will be closed from Dec. 11, 1921, to Jan. 6, 1922, both inclusive.
C. A. PEACOCK, Secretary

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AMERICAN COAL IN CUBA TO BE REPLACED WITH BRITISH

U. S. Dealers Order Docks Cleared at Havana for Cargoes From Cardiff.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Large American coal companies, doing business in Cuba and having offices in Havana, were declared, in reports received here today in official circles, to be preparing to replace their stocks of American coal in the island with British coal.

Orders have been sent to Havana, these official reports say, to clean up all American coal on the docks and to fill up with Cardiff coal, which, the reports assert, can be delivered at Havana at about $2 a ton cheaper than American coal. The reports also say that four cargoes of the British coal now are en route to San Francisco for Pacific Coast consumption.

British coal had not been in competition with American coal in the West Indies for 20 years, according to experts here.

Both the Interstate Commerce Commission and the Shipping Board are understood to be considering the situation in the light of the relation of rail and water rates to the cost of distributing American coal.

FURNITURE VAN UNION TO ACT ON PROPOSED WAGE CUT TODAY

Contract Has Expired and Committee Has Rejected 25 Per Cent Reduction.

A special meeting of the Furniture Drivers, Van Drivers and Helpers' Union will be held this afternoon at 2228 Olive street to decide finally if the members shall accept a proposal of the moving and storage companies to take reduced wages for the coming year. About 200 men engaged in the moving and storage business are affected.

The contract with the union expired Oct. 28 last and a condition of its renewal was a proposal by the companies to reduce wages 25 per cent. This was rejected by the union's Wage Committee, headed by Thomas J. Coyne, secretary of the organization. The men receive 50 to 75 cents an hour on a basis of nine hours a day, with time and a half for overtime. Coyne said the union had been notified that the men must decide by Monday what they expect to do, as the proposed new wage scale will be put in force next week.

EMBEZZLEMENT OF $1832 IN STOCK DEAL CHARGED

Two Men Are Arrested in Connection With Accounts in Inventor's Concern.

Oscar Michel, patents and copyrights, International Life Building, and George A. Walker, secretary of the Le Compte Automatic Drawbar and Connector Co., were arrested today on a warrant issued by the Circuit Attorney's office on a charge of embezzlement of $1832.50 from Onesint La Compte, head of the Le Compte company and inventor of a car coupler which is now in use by the Frisco Railroad.

Le Compte recited that he engaged Michel and Walker to sell 49 per cent of the stock of his company on a 50-50 basis. He declared that the stock books showed that he was entitled to receive $11,470, whereas he received only $9129.75. The warrant is issued for that portion of the difference said by him to have accrued since Oct. 1.

Michel and Walker made no statement at police headquarters.

SEVERAL INJURED BY POLICE AT MONTEVIDEO SACCO MEETING

Demonstration of Protest Against Conviction of Men in United States.

By the Associated Press.

MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay, Dec. 3.—Several persons were injured yesterday when police, with drawn sabers, dispersed a demonstration staged before Government House by communists protesting against the conviction for murder in Massachusetts of Sacco and Vanzetti.

The police acted when communist orators began to use violent expressions against the American authorities and the leaders refused to suspend the meeting.

WOMAN CAUSES ARREST OF MAN

Pants Maker Claimed as Husband by Two Women.

Philip Cohn, 35 years old, of 2604 Thomas street, a pants maker, was arrested last night on complaint of a woman calling herself Mrs. Emma Cohn of 1321 Chouteau avenue. She told the police that she had lived with Cohn since 1917 as his wife and that he was responsible for the support of her two children.

At the Thomas street address the police found another Mrs. Cohn. She said she was Mrs. Eva Cohn and that she was married to Philip Cohn in Yamolla, Russia, 19 years ago. He came to this country nine years ago, she said, and she followed two weeks ago, bringing with her a son, Isadore, 14 years old. She said she had never heard of the St. Louis woman claiming to be Mrs. Cohn. Cohn was released on bond. At his place of employment, 1136 Washington avenue, he refused to discuss the case.

Auto Hits 3, Driver Hurries On.

Three persons were injured, one seriously, when they were hit by an automobile at 7:45 o'clock last night on the Olive Street road, near North and South road, St. Louis County. The driver did not stop. The injured, William Deuser, 21, of Clayton, and Martha and Christie Hoechst, 19 and 17 respectively, residing on the Olive Street road, near Grobey, were on their way to an entertainment at the Mount Olive School. They were walking west and the automobile, going in the same direction, struck them from behind. Christie Hoechst was dragged several feet and was internally hurt. Miss Hoechst and Deuser were cut and bruised.

TEST OF CONSTITUTIONALITY OF AUTO STOP LIGHT LAW BEGUN

Arrest Made for Driving Closed Car Without Device; No Move Till Case Is Determined.

A test case to determine the constitutionality of the provision of the new State automobile law requiring rear stop signals on closed automobiles, was begun yesterday by the arrest of Jack Nece of 4639 Washington boulevard, manager of the truck department of the Briscoe Motor Sales Co., at the Lindell cut-off for driving a closed car not equipped with the device. President Miller of the Police Board said no further arrests would be made for violation of that provision of the law until its constitutionality had been determined.

Doubt of the legality of the law is based upon a provision requiring the stop lights only on cars owned by persons residing in towns and cities having populations of more than 10,000. Lawyers have said they believed this was discriminatory.

The case against Nece will be tried in the Court of Criminal Correction Wednesday morning.

SPAIN SAID TO HAVE RECEIVED GRAVE NEWS FROM MOROCCO

War Minister Goes to Palace With Reports Supposed to Deal With Campaign.

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, Dec. 3.—Rumors were in circulation last evening that the Spanish Government had received extremely grave news, presumably in connection with the Morocco campaign, says a Reuter dispatch from Madrid. The dispatch adds that Minister of War Cierva went to the palace at 6 o'clock.

The columns of Gens. Sanjurjo, Cavanellas and Berenguer yesterday occupied Soco, Jemis and Beni Bufer, establishing contact with the Spanish forces at Uixan and Zeluan. In the fighting the Spaniards suffered no casualties.

MAN REPORTS HE WAS SHOT AT

D. H. Paulding, a traveling salesman of Springfield, Ill., told the police yesterday he had been shot at twice by one of two men who stepped from a Ford automobile as he was carrying a grip in front of 1435 North Seventh street.

The machine drove up to the curb, he said, and the man with the revolver got out and commanded him to throw up his hands. He set the grip on the sidewalk and stepped back. He said the move was apparently mistaken for an intention to draw a weapon, as the man fired, jumped back in the machine and as it started away fired again. Both shots went wild. Paulding said the grip contained samples and clothing.

TEACHER'S ESTATE TO EDUCATION

The will of Miss Jennie Hildenbrandt, 3741 Windsor place, a teacher in the St. Louis Public Schools, who died Nov. 26, was filed yesterday. After several minor bequests she left the residue of her estate in trust of Edgar R. Rombauer, who is instructed to sell the assets and divide the cash as follows: One half to go to the Bellefontaine Industrial School, to be expended under the auspices of the Board of Children's Guardians, and the other half to help establish in St. Louis a domestic science school patterned after the Garland School of Homemaking for Girls at Boston. The latter is to be expended under the direction of Mrs. Fannie Lachmund, an instructor at the Harris Teachers' College. The bequests are memorials for Miss Hildenbrandt's brother, the late E. A. Hildenbrandt, a realty dealer, and her mother.

Deputy Circuit Clerk Weeke Not on Vance's Bond.

In an article in the Post-Dispatch last Thursday concerning the release on bond of Charles Vance, who was indicted in connection with the holdup of the store of the St. Louis Refining Co., it was erroneously stated that a previous bond given by Vance was signed by August F. Weeke, a Deputy Circuit Clerk. The bondsman was August F. Weeke of 2221 Benton street, a nephew of the Deputy Circuit Clerk.

Man Still Unable to Tell Name.

A man who was found unconscious in a vacant lot on Switzer avenue, in Jennings, last Wednesday morning, and who was taken to the city hospital, has recovered consciousness only enough to turn his head from side to side and mutter a few inarticulate words. His identity remains undetermined, although a number of persons have looked at him, thinking they might know him. Physicians have not been able to determine the cause of his condition. The man is about 45 years old. He was found fully dressed in common clothing.

City News in Brief

MISCELLANEOUS

THE LAST OF THE SERIES OF SEXCENTENNIAL addresses on Dante will be given tomorrow morning before the Ethical Society by Percival Chubb. The topic will be "Dante's Spiritual Pilgrimage, From Purgatory to Paradise: The Religious Values, and What Is Left of Them."

MRS. ANNA SPRUN, 44, OF 2005 North Broadway, was taken to the city hospital yesterday after she had swallowed poison while conversing with her husband, Charles, who knocked the bottle from her hand. The husband told the police his wife had been despondent over illness. Her condition is serious.

POLICE ITEMS

ELMER F. SIBLEY, 36 YEARS OLD, who said he had "no home" was arrested for begging last night when detectives found him at Broadway and Walnut street in possession of a number of begging petitions addressed to persons of various callings and each one saying the possessor followed that particular vocation. One of the petitions was addressed to opticians, another to bookkeepers, another to commission brokers and a fourth to tailors. Sibley told the police he used the petitions to obtain "a living."

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL AWARDED TO COL. M'MAHON

Presentation to Be Made Soon at Military Ceremony Arranged by Gen. Bundy.

A Distinguished Service Medal, recently awarded to Col. Edmond J. McMahon of 4461 Farlin avenue, former commander of the 138th Infantry, will be presented soon at a military ceremony to be arranged by Gen. Omar Bundy, commander of the Seventh Army Corps. The medal is awarded for unusual meritorious service and military service other than in the fighting zone.

Col. McMahon, after being transferred from the command of the 138th Infantry, was made commandant of the Army Supply Depot at Bordeaux, the second largest depot in France, and it is because of his service there that the medal was awarded. The depot at all times was capable of supplying the needs of an army of 1,000,000 men for 30 days.

At Jefferson Barracks yesterday a silver medal of the second class, awarded by the French Government, was presented to Roy A. Miller of 3321 Caroline street, a former Corporal in the United State Army Engineering Corps, for heroic action in Paris the night of Aug. 22, 1918, when Miller and others succeeded in towing a barge containing barrels of naptha, which had caught fire, from a point in the Seine where it endangered highly inflammable material on other ships. The presentation was by Col. H. B. Nelson. The Sixth Infantry was paraded for the ceremonies.

Indianapolis Police Chief Here.

Chief of Police Herman F. Rieckhoff of Indianapolis, Ind., and three other officials of his department were in St. Louis Thursday and yesterday studying local methods of handling traffic. One of the party was the Indianapolis department's photographer, who made numerous pictures of the St. Louis methods. The visitors were impressed by the new system of night riders here, whereby the streets are patrolled by many groups of detectives in automobiles all night.

Marriage Licenses Births Recorded Burial Permits

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

William A. Alexander	2220 Morgan
Mrs. Cora Casey	2220 Morgan
Carl L. Ross	Clinton, Ill
Mrs. Lelia M. Curtis	Clinton, Ill
Irwin F. Rosenfelder	Overland, Mo
Mabel L. Spoede	Creve Coeur, Mo
James Williams	Collinsville, Ill
Stella Gadbois	Centralia, Ill
Beauford L. Henry	6518 Southwest
Elizabeth K. Ruhl	6500 Southwest
Lon L. Wylie	732 N. Euclid
Carmelita Burichter	4702 Spalding
William Hood	2755 Lawton
Etella Gray	2835 Lawton
John M. Schaefler	1614 Chestnut
Beatrice Allen	4938 Beacon
Norton Garnett	Chicago, Ill
Marie Collins	Chicago, Ill
Marvin A. Northrop	Minneapolis, Minn
Elsie Waldron	5600 Pershing

At East St. Louis.

Louis Santen	Fairmont City, Ill
Anna Blane	Fairmont City, Ill

At Edwardsville.

Edward Mindrup	Alhambra
Edna Determann	Alhambra
Harold Miles	St. Louis
Irene Overbeck	St. Louis
William E. Niggli	Leef
Elda M. Wiesenmeyer	Saline

At St. Charles.

Joseph Henderson	St. Louis
Virginia Lee Crosby	St. Louis
Henry Miller	Hunter, Ok
Marie Hill	Enid, Ok
Frank Turner	Milwaukee, Wis
Emma Beck	St. Louis
James Herron	Nokomis, Ill
Anna Zercher	Nokomis, Ill

BIRTHS RECORDED.

BOYS.

P. and A. Catawzara, 821 N. 8th.
W. and A. Flanagan, 1449A N. 24th.
A. and L. Scharo, 4207 W. Lexington.
B. and M. Grotegeers, 3137 Oregon.
F. and V. Klotzbach, 3067A Folsom.
E. and M. Greer, 4850A Easton.
S. and A. Volgt, 2023 Kosciusko.
L. and F. Carosello, 4321 Tyler.
F. and L. Morris, 3992 Neosho.
J. and M. Jesse, 5943 Hancock.
J. and M. Grindstaff, 1517 S. 3d.
O. and R. Calamia, 1318 N. 8th.
W. and N. Unsell, 3041 Magazine.
S. and W. Gan, 23A S. 8th.
C. and M. Wallis, 5248 Beacon.
D. and A. Coad, 6225A Victoria.
C. and E. Crouch, 2341 S. 12th.
S. and S. Groner, Shreveport, La.

GIRLS.

M. and F. Krulik, 814A S. 8th.
C. and L. Sip, 2701 Michigan.
M. and M. Hederman, 4041 St. Ferdinand.
H. and C. Mann, 3742 Cozens.
V. and A. Terrara, 1405 N. 10th.
A. and M. Parisi, 1405 N. 7th.
S. and V. Sawrmina, 1216 N. 8th.
U. and C. Vos, 4106A W. Florissant.
H. and M. O'Connell, 4123 Westminster.
P. and M. Bechtold, 4060 Labadie.
W. and E. Omindinger, Jerseyville, Ill.
J. and M. Giancola, 2604 Dickson.
F. and W. Dee, 1928 Penn.
W. and E. Roussin, 723 Laml.
H. and E. Schleper, 3546 S. Broadway.
H. and M. Patton, 5641 Vernon.
R. and V. Reitermann, 1905 Miami.
O. and K. Guelker, 2900 Virginia.

BURIAL PERMITS.

W. A. Frisch, 65, infirmary.
H. Feisen, 20, 5798 Kingsbury.
W. S. Hampe, 25, 5410 Dresden.
T. J. Driscoll, 47, 3719 St. Louis.
Louisa Reber, 70, 8 Shaw place.
Jane Bridges, 84, 3017 Morgan.
Annie Ransom, 100, 2728 Franklin.
D. Hendrick, 58, 922 N. Sixteenth.
G. H. Johnson, 44, 5508 Michigan.
Mary E. Sander, 81, 4731 Northland.
C. Lamberg, 62, 1249A Aubert.
L. Fong, 54, 23 S. Eighth.
Zella Wooldridge, 81, 4191 Washington.
A. E. Keune, 29, 1423 Cleary.
Florence Fischer, 1, 4329W Clayton.
A. Docksteder, 83, 3129 Texas.
Metta Haverkamp, 55, 4338 San Francisco.
Helen Matter, 8, 6937 Pernod.
C. W. Humes, 74, 4523 Gibson.
E. Hardy, 33, 409 S. Fifteenth.
Louis Nelson, 58, 3810A Humphrey.
A. Nasello, 1, 5043 Daggett.
Anna Harlick, 48, 2117 S. Ninth.
Elizabeth Ruebel, 83, 2912 N. Twenty-first.
Martha Segasture, 49, 3321 N. Ninth.
Anna G. Hicks, 72, 5351 Delmar.
Ethel Torluemke, 5 months, 8951 Newby pl.

DEATHS

Death notices, first 6 lines or less $1.50; each extra line, 25c; memoriums, lectures, spiritualism, etc., 20c per line.

BENDER—Entered into rest on Thursday, Dec. 1, 1921, at 11:50 p. m., Elizabeth G. Bender (nee Weber), beloved wife of Louis P. Bender and dear mother of Charles F. Bender and dear mother-in-law of Edna Bender.

Funeral on Monday, Dec. 5, at 8:30 a. m., from the residence, 922 Rutger street, to St. Vincent's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. (c7)

BRADLEY—Died, at Fresno, Cal., Monday, Nov. 28, 1921, Chester Bradley, husband of Rosa Bradley (nee Brunner), father of Chester Bradley Jr., brother of Ben L. Bradley and Mrs. C. W. Burton, aged 51 years.

Remains will arrive Saturday morning and lie in state at Donnelly's undertaking parlors, 3846 Lindell boulevard, until Sunday morning, whence it will be shipped to New Haven, Mo., for burial.

COWAN—Entered into rest on Friday, Dec. 2, 1921, at 10:05 a. m., James E. Cowan, beloved father of J. Edward Cowan, J. Mortland Cowan and Elenore C. Selden, in her eighty-eighth year.

Funeral on Sunday, Dec. 4, at 2:30, from Compton Hill Congregational Church, thence to Bellefontaine Cemetery. Interment private. (c7)

CRUTTWELL—On Friday, Dec. 2, 1921, Mrs. A. C. Cruttwell, (nee Mrs. J. B. Wall).

Funeral services from C. A. Lupton Chapel, 4449 Olive, Sunday 2:30 p. m. (c)

FREY—Entered into rest on Friday, Dec. 2, 1921, at 10:10 a. m., Louis C. Frey, beloved husband of the late Wilhelmina Frey (nee Braunhold), dear father of Walter and Clara Frey, Mrs. Otto Mertz, our dear brother and father-in-law.

Funeral will take place from the Mullen chapel, 5165 Delmar boulevard, on Sunday, Dec. 4, at 2 p. m. Interment in St. Peter's Cemetery. Deceased was a member of the Schweizer Club of Milwaukee. (c7)

GAERTNER—Entered into rest on Friday, Dec. 2, 1921, at 11:15 a. m., Henry Ferdinand Gaertner, 3840 Russell avenue, dear father, father-in-law, grandfather, brother and great-grandfather, in his ninety-first year.

Funeral on Monday, Dec. 5, at 1:30 p. m., from Ziegenhein Bros.' chapel, 2623 Cherokee street, to Missouri Crematory. Please omit flowers. Deceased was a member of Col. Meumann Post, No. 496, G. A. R. (c7)

GRAYSON—On Friday, Dec. 2, 1921, Freeland S. Grayson, husband of Grace E. Grayson.

Remains will lie in state at the Ambruster chapel, 4234 Manchester avenue, up to 1 p. m. Sunday. Funeral from the Memorial Congregational Church, Graham and Victoria avenues, Sunday, Dec. 4, at 2:30 p. m., to Valhalla Cemetery. (c7)

HINDRICHS—Entered into rest at Sappington, Mo., Dec. 2, 1921, at 2:40 p. m., Edward C. Hindrichs Sr., husband of the late Catherine Hindrichs, after a short illness at the age of 76 years, 6 months and 3 days, dear father of Attilia Van Der Wal (nee Hindrichs), Edward A. and Albert J. Hindrichs, Agnes Epstein (nee Hindrichs), Eugene F. Hindrichs, our dear father-in-law and grandfather.

Funeral from residence of Eugene F. Hindrichs, 5342 West avenue, Monday, Dec. 5, at 2 p. m., to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited. (c7)

HUTFLESS—On Friday, Dec. 2, 1921, at 10 p. m., Katherine Hutfless, beloved wife of George Hutfless, mother of Katherine Long, Mary Crites, George Hutfless, Frances Gokenbach and Joseph Hutfless, and our dear daughter, sister, mother-in-law and grandmother, at the age of 51 years.

Funeral from Julius H. Schmitt's chapel, 1817 Sidney street, on Monday, Dec. 5, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Agatha's Church, thence to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery.

Minneapolis (Minn.) papers please copy. (c7)

JACOBS—Entered into rest on Friday, Dec. 2, 1921, at 10:45 a. m., Catherine Jacobs, beloved mother of Lulu Jacobs, Mrs. Emma Upton (nee Jacobs), Chas. C. and Albert F. Jacobs, in her eighty-sixth year.

Funeral Sunday, Dec. 4, at 3 p. m., from the Kron chapel, 2707 North Grand avenue. Interment in Bellefontaine Cemetery. (c7)

JASPER—On Friday, Dec. 2, 1921, Louis A. Jasper, beloved husband of Annie E. Jasper (nee Droege), and father of Lieut. E. A. Jasper, United States Navy, Cavite, P. I., and Florence M. Jasper, and father-in-law of Marguerite Jasper (nee Ranz), and grandfather of Mary Margaret and brother of Fred, Frank, William, Henry, Bernard and George Jasper, and our brother-in-law, and son-in-law of J. G. Droege, in his fifty-sixth year.

Funeral Monday, Dec. 5, 1921, at 9 a. m., from residence, 3429 Halliday avenue, to St. Francis de Sales Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Deceased was a member of Marquette Council, No. 606, K. of C., and St. Louis General Assembly, Fourth Degree.

Washington (Mo.) and Denver (Col.) papers please copy. (c7)

KUTIL—On Friday, Dec. 2, 1921, at 3 p. m., Anna Kutil (nee Meyer), beloved mother of Carolina Gerlach (nee Kutil), Anna Doorak (nee Kutil), Emma Kremer (nee Kutil), and our dear mother-in-law, grandmother and great-grandmother.

Funeral from residence, 4516 Louisiana avenue, on Monday, Dec. 5, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Cecelia Church, thence to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery. (c7)

MEIER—Entered into rest, Thursday, Dec. 1, 1921, Charlotte Meier, beloved wife of the late Heinerich Meier, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Louise Ruhl, 3420 Greenwood bl., Maplewood, dear mother of Louise Ruhl (nee Meier), Albert, John, Annie Bauer (nee Meier), Philip, Christiene Seib (nee Meier), Louis, Ida Arft (nee Meier), and Matilda Hoch (nee Meier), and our dear grandmother and great-grandmother, in her 75th year.

Funeral Sunday, Dec. 4, 1921, at 1 p. m., from residence, 3420 Greenwood bl., Maplewood, to Zion Church at 2 p. m., Clayton and Ballas rd., St. Louis County.

MOELLER—Entered into rest on Friday, Dec. 2, 1921, at 1:45 p. m., Herman Moeller, beloved father of Edward, George D., Herman, Regina and Clara Moeller, Mrs. John Kakta and Mrs. Frank Seitz, our father-in-law, grandfather and brother, aged 65 years 5 months and 24 days.

Funeral from Hoffmeister parlors, 7814 South Broadway, Monday, Dec. 5, at 2 p. m., to New St. Marcus' Cemetery. Deceased was a member of the Grotenberger Club. (c7)

MOHAN—On Friday, Dec. 2, 1921, at 6:50 a. m., Helen Mohan, beloved daughter of Officer John Mohan of the Second District and Alice Mohan (nee McGuire), dear sister of John, Margaret, James and Virginia Mohan, at the age of 7 years.

Funeral from Gebken's chapel, 2846 Meramec street, on Monday, Dec. 5, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Thomas of Aquin Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. (c)

MUENCH—On Friday, Dec. 2, 1921, at 10 a. m., Catherine Muench wife of the late Philip Muench, dear mother of Mrs. Oscar E. Tanzberger, Mrs. John A. Schneider, Mrs. Emile T. Lemme and Mrs. Joseph A. Taylor (nee Muench), our dear sister, mother-in-law and grandmother, in her seventy-fourth year.

Funeral from Southern parlors, 7315 South Broadway, on Sunday, Dec. 4, at 2 p. m., to St. Paul's Cemetery, Oakville. Private.

Los Angeles (Cal.) and Belleville (Ill.) papers please copy. (c)

ROLF—At residence of his brother, Richard Rolf, 4541 Athlone avenue, on Saturday, Dec. 3, 1921, at 4:30 a. m., John C. Rolf, aged 42 years, husband of the late Margaret Rolf and our dear brother, brother-in-law and uncle.

Funeral Monday, Dec. 5, at 2 p. m., from Wm. E. Paschedag's chapel, 2825 North Grand avenue, to Friedens Cemetery. (7)

RULOFF—Entered into rest, suddenly, on Friday, Dec. 2, 1921, at 1 p. m., George Mathias Ruloff, dearly beloved son of the late Jake and Mary Ruloff (nee Young), and dear brother of Emma, Christian, William and Frank Ruloff, Mrs. Rosie Morheuser, Mrs. Mary McGrorr, Mrs. J. McKinnon, Mrs. A. Furstenfeld and Mrs. L. Becker, and our dear uncle and brother-in-law.

Funeral from family residence, 1403 Franklin avenue. Due notice of time later (c)

SIGNAIGO—Entered into rest on Thursday, Dec. 1, 1921, Mary Signaigo, widow of Dominick Signaigo and dear sister of Mrs. Rose Cavagnaro, and our dear aunt.

Funeral from residence, 221 South Euclid avenue, on Monday, Dec. 5, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Charles Borromeo Church, Twenty-ninth and Locust streets, thence to Calvary Cemetery. (c7)

SMITH—On Thursday, Dec. 1, 1921, at 10:30 p. m., James B. Smith Sr., beloved husband of Rose Anne Smith, dear father of Mrs. L. B. Watson (nee Smith), James B., John, Carl and the late Robert Smith, and our dear father-in-law and brother, at the age of 57 years.

Funeral from Gebken chapel, 2842 Meramec street, Sunday, Dec. 4, at 2 p. m., to St. Matthew's Cemetery. Deceased was a member of Glassblowers' Benevolent Association, Branch No. 5, and Busy Bee Tent, K. O. T. M. (c7)

STAPF—Entered into rest on Thursday, Dec. 1, 1921, at 10:30 p. m., Otto G. Stapf of 1915 Arsenal street, beloved husband of Eva Stapf (nee Seifert), dear father of Ollie Stapf, and our dear brother and brother-in-law, at the age of 63 years.

Funeral on Sunday, Dec. 4, at 3 p. m., from Ziegenhein Bros.' chapel, 2623 Cherokee street, to Missouri Crematory. (c6)

UTLEY—Entered into rest, Friday, Dec. 2, 1921, 10:45 p. m., Irene Utley, dear beloved sister of Mrs. W. T. Pausch, (nee Utley) William S., Harry and Arthur, our dear niece and sister-in-law in her forty-third year.

Funeral Monday, Dec. 5, at 2 p. m. from Henry Heier's Funeral parlor, Grand and Cleveland av. Deceased was a member of Magnolia Branch Chapter No. 375, O. E. S. and Ladies Auxiliary of Alhambra Grotto. (c7)

WETZEL—Entered into rest on Thursday, Dec. 1, 1921, Rosina Wetzel, beloved mother of Mrs. J. B. Michels, Josephine, Peter, George and Fred Wetzel.

Funeral Sunday, Dec. 4, at 1:30 p. m., from residence of her son, 5337 Ridge avenue, to St. Peter's Evangelical Church. Interment in St. Peter's Cemetery. (c6)

WILLIAMS—Entered into rest on Friday, Dec. 2, at 12 o'clock midnight, Winnie Williams, dear daughter of Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Williams, sister of Marion, Clayton and Alleen Williams, at the age of 22 years.

Funeral on Monday, Dec. 5, at 2:30 p. m., from the residence, 4167 McPherson avenue, to Bellefontaine Cemetery. (c7)

UNDERTAKERS

PEETZ BROS.

Funeral chapel, 2739 Lafayette av.; auto ambulance; no charge for chapel. (c8)

ANSWERS TO QUERIES

As we have no information bureau, it is impossible to answer queries by mail or telephone. Query for Sunday must be mailed a week beforehand.

M. M.—Scientific journals may be found at the Public Library.

LULU.—White window shades may be cleaned with art gum or with wall paper cleaner.

TEACHER.—The public schools are not controlled by any church or fraternity, but by the Board of Education.

V. E.—Apply to junk and metal dealers regarding tinfoil. The prices fluctuate with the supply and demand.

W. B. H.—The marks after the numbers designate shillings and pence, thus 10-s is 10 shillings and 2d is 2 pence.

A. D. R.—We have never heard of any chemicals that can be poured over coal to make it burn longer and throw more heat.

READER.—We have no record of a proclamation by the President in which a special holiday was proclaimed in the year 1879.

READER.—Rub the surface of the floor to be varnished with sharp vinegar. Coating with strongly diluted ox gall is also of advantage.

F. C.—Mental telepathy and thought transference are recognized conditions, but transference of material things is too much for the imagination.

W. L. P.—Canna roots should be kept in a dry cold place through the winter, so they will not sprout. In the spring they should be exposed to the sunlight. The dirt should be brushed carefully from the roots.

ROSIE.—The following is a recipe for Delmonico ice cream: 1½ pints of cream, 1 ounce of isinglass, 1 pound of sugar, yolks of 8 eggs, ½ pint of milk and vanilla powder. Scald the cream only; then add the isinglass dissolved in the milk, and pour it on the sugar and eggs beaten together to a froth; add the flavoring. Strain, cool and freeze it; then pack for 3½ hours.

LEGAL INFORMATION

(Prepared by a Member of the St. Louis Bar Association.)

EX-SERVICE MAN.—You will require a license to hunt in Missouri.

READERS.—The wife's property cannot be held for the husband's debts.

A RENTER.—Ordinarily the tenant pays for the cleaning of gas pipes.

J. T. M.—If any man signs a bank note, the banker can lawfully take part of his salary to pay this note.

N. Y.—If you were employed by the month you are entitled to one month's notice or to one month's wages.

H. F.—The jewelry company is not entitled to keep your money since you have not received any merchandise in return.

P. V.—If "B" has a second mortgage on an auto and it is not being met by the owner, "B" can foreclose on the owner's equity.

BROADWAY.—The person who refuses to pay the balance of the price on a piece of property can be sued for breach of contract.

TENANT.—It is legal for rent to be demanded on Sunday. A 30-day notice to move if served on Sunday is legal as on any other day.

E. H. C.—You can sue the man for breach of promise if he has written you letters promising to marry you and now refuses to do so.

E. J. K.—A person missing seven years is considered dead and the insurance company could be forced to pay, unless they can prove to the contrary.

JOE McC.—You are not eligible for the Missouri bonus unless you were a resident of this State for at least one year prior to April 6, 1917. Applications will not be considered for some time.

O. D. T.—Refuse to pay any more than $24 for the printing which the printer promised to do for that. If he sues you, you have a good defense. Probably he will accept the proffered sum, eventually.

C. C. C.—If you are in default and are not able to pay the notes the real estate company can foreclose on your interest. The same applies to your wife's interest. If the real estate firm forecloses there will be a public sale of the property.

MEDICAL QUESTIONS

(Answers prepared by a physician of authority. Health and sanitation questions of public interest only will be considered. Diagnoses or treatment of individual cases will not be given. Questions that cannot be publicly discussed, if showing evidences of sincerity, will be answered when accompanied by stamped envelope.)

HELEN.—We do not know of any place where no charge is made for X-ray work, unless it might be Barnes Hospital. You may have the picture taken at any X-ray laboratory, for a fee.

FRIEDA.—1. The condition you mention does not necessarily have to exist, especially if the disease has existed for some time. 2. Iodide of potassium is not used for either disease you mention.

AN EVERYDAY READER.—We do not know of any patent medicine that we could recommend for your condition. We, therefore, advise you to continue with your physician, who, no doubt, will do much to help and relieve you; even though he cannot effect a cure.

A. B. C.—(1) There is such a condition, known as internal goitre. (2) An adam's apple cannot be enlarged, unless enlargement is due to a growth on it. (3) Irritation of the gland you mention has a decided effect on the nervous system, and naturally will cause weakness.

A. Z.—We suggest the following lotion to correct a greasy skin condition of the face: Sulphuris praecipitate and spirits odorati, ½ ounce of each; amyli mucilginis, 4 ounces. Apply this at night. In the morning wash off and powder with a powder composed of one part sulphur and seven parts fuller's earth.

READER OF POST-DISPATCH.—Most of the hospitals give training for men as nurses, while no regular schools are maintained as for women. If you could get sufficient knowledge from a correspondence school you might pass a State Board examination. We suggest writing the State Board and ascertain their requirements.

E. H. L.—The salve you ask for is an iodine salve, which can be rubbed into the goitre to relieve it. A saturated solution of iodide of potash, 10 to 30 or 40 drops, to be taken in a little water before meals, will produce better results in curing a goitre than any sort of pills. We would advise beginning with 10 drops and increasing one drop at each dose.

A. D. S.—There are numerous bust developers on the market, but we do not consider them dependable. Local massage may bring some results, either simple massage or a massage in connection with the rubbing in of oils and fats, such as cod liver oil. The most dependable method, however, is the general increase of the entire body fat. To increase weight eat freely of sugars, fats and starches, take little exercise and get plenty of sleep.

PERSONAL

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PERSONAL—P. H. wishes to communicate with his sister. Box T-401, P.-D. (c1)

PERSONAL—$200 for first information locating D. W. Blair Jr., 28 years, 130 pounds, 5 feet 8, fair; in St. Louis, September, 1917; no information since; had nervous breakdown in 1917, leaving him depressed and melancholy; Mason and Shriner. Address D. W. Blair, Marietta, Ga. (c1)

COMING EVENTS

COME, take a stroll through the Streets of Khorassan, the Land of Sunshine, Eagles Hall, Jefferson and Lafayette avs., Dec. 5, 6, 7 and 8. All Pythians, their friends and the public invited. (c8)

LEGAL NOTICES

CHATTEL MORTGAGE SALE—Whereas, Herman Kayser, by his certain chattel mortgage, dated March 15, 1921, conveyed to the undersigned certain personal property, towit: one model ... No. 153,432, which conveyance was made for the purpose of securing certain notes in said chattel mortgage described; and whereas, a balance of said notes, together with certain accrued interest thereon, is now past due and remains unpaid; now, therefore, in pursuance of the conditions of said chattel mortgage, the undersigned will sell said truck at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash at 1326 Chestnut street, St. Louis, on Saturday, Dec. 3, 1921 at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness and the cost of making this sale. MACK INTERNATIONAL MOTOR TRUCK CORPORATION, St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 23, 1921. (c8)

SPECIAL NOTICES

SPECIAL NOTICE—I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Mildred Ruschmeyer, after this date. LOUIS RUSCHMEYER. (7)

NOTICE—I shall not be responsible for debts contracted by my wife, Neil H. Sangster of 5159 Raymond av., after Dec. 2, 1921. R. D. SANGSTER. (c1)

LOST and FOUND

Solid agate, 25c line; out-of-town, 25c daily, 30c Sunday; minimum 2 lines. Three or more insertions 1c line discount.

LOST

BAR PIN—Lost; gold; with coral setting and pearls, in Dozier school district. 6036 Cates; reward. (c)

BIRD DOG—Lost, white, brown spots; will identify; liberal reward. Forest 3809R. (c6)

BILL FOLD—Lost; containing $90, railroad pass and liberty bond coupon; on Prairie av. to Lee av., Lee av. car or Broadway and Locust to Railway Exchange bldg. Call Colfax 296J or Main 3660, Sta. 82; liberal reward. (c7)

CANARY—Lost; has leg band No. 22; reward. 3509 Grace.

COLLAR—Lost; red fox fur; between St. Vincent and Park and Pennsylvania; reward. 17 S. Boyle. (c)

DOG—Lost, white poodle, male; strayed or stolen; reward. Apply 4277 Maffitt av.

DOG—Lost, French poodle; baby's pet. Return 4419 Gannett; reward. (7)

DOG—Lost; collie; named Captain; reward. Delmar 3262R. 3915 Kennerly av. (c7)

DOG—Lost; brindle bull terrier; answers to name of Tige. Return to 4474 Westminster; receive reward. (c7)

DRESS—Lost; blue Canton crepe, in Grand-Leader basement, Friday, 10:30; reward. East 3261W, St. Clair 1844J. (c7)

FUR GLOVES—Lost; downtown; black; right hand. 3328 Humphrey; reward.

GLASSES—Lost; shell rim, in case; reward. Call Riverside 1673W. (7)

GLASSES—Lost, tortoise shell, Thursday night, on Jefferson or Grand av. or Tower Grove car; reward. Phone Grand 393. (c6)

HAT—Lost; Friday afternoon in Windermere pl; red velvet hat, trimmed with black fur; finder please call Forest 1780; reward.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST

HOUND—Black and tan, female; has broken tail; will give liberal reward; no questions asked. Sidney 2187J; 3715 Texas. (c)

HUB CAP—Lost, Cadillac, on Grand av.; return to F. W. Ziegenhein, 3655 Flora bl., and receive reward. East 43, Grand 2216.

KEYS—Lost; bunch, with name plate and address. Return and receive reward. 1801 Sidney st. Victor 1260. (c1)

MONEY—Lost; by delivery boy, $83 in currency; somewhere between 922 Hickory and 1837 Kennett; finder return to A. Watson, 1209 S. Compton, and receive reward.

NECKLACE—Lost; pearl; Wednesday; Benish's waiting room; reward. Lindell 1725J.

NECK RIBBON—Lost, black neck ribbon with diamond ornament; $50 reward. Forest 7390. 10 Westmoreland pl. (7)

PACKAGE—Lost; on Tower Grove car, about 9:30 a. m. Tuesday, containing 2 fur chokers. Benton 1997W. (c6)

PACKAGE—Lost, containing 3 ties and 6 handkerchiefs; suitable reward; lost downtown. 5050 Delmar. Forest 7066J. (c)

PACKAGE—Lost; small; containing 2 baby dresses, on Goodfellow between Hodiamont tracks and Chamberlain. Cabany 3692W. (c)

PIN—Lost; diamond and pearl harvest moon pin, in Arcade Bldg. or on 8th st., between Olive and Pine; liberal reward. 3666 Humphrey. Grand 5203W. (6)

PURSE—Lost, coin purse, between University and Cass, 22d to Jefferson; finder call Tyler 2433R; reward.

PURSE—Lost; change; containing four breast pins; ring containing 10 diamonds and sapphire and liberty bond coupons; reward, Rentchler, 3724 Palm, Colfax 1445W. (1)

PURSE—Lost; black beaded; Wednesday, between 4 and 5, containing rosary, book of addresses, thimble, scissors and small change. 4230 Cleveland, Grand 540W. (c)

RING—Lost; gold Japanese ring, with small diamond; initials C. K.; reward. Call Tyler 2100 or Colfax 2191W. (c7)

RING—Lost; old fashioned open work, gold; small diamond in center; generous reward. Call Forest 470. (c)

RING—Lost, with 5 opals, studded with 20 diamonds; one opal cracked; by returning same will be rewarded. Call Forest 5532J. (7)

STAKE—Lost; 3-panel stake, for truck; reward. Tyler 216, Central 725. Liberty Transfer Co., 2620 Howard. (c)

TRAVELING BAG—Lost, between Overland, Mo., and St. Ann's Hospital, containing baby's outfit. Phone Clayton 158X or Tyler 1888; reward. (c)

WATCH—Lost; gold; in men's washroom at Missouri Theater. Phone Bell Kirkwood 746W. (c6)

FOUND

PIGEON—Found; registered. Phone Forest 5672. (c)

FOUND BY POLICE.
KEY—Small. Eighth District.
FOOTBALL—Leather. Eleventh District.
HAT—Telescope hat. Fourth District.
BICYCLE—5208 Tennessee av.
HATS—Four straw hats, in box. Fourth District.
HORSE—Bay. 5701 Manchester.
RING—Child's, gold. Third District.

WARNING!

FAKE ADS NOT PERMITTED

Sec. 2664 Rev. Code, 1912—Any person who shall in the City of St. Louis knowingly insert or cause to be inserted in any newspaper in said city, any advertisement falsely representing that any person, firm or corporation desires to hire or employ any labor or services of any kind or character or to purchase or acquire any kind or character of property, and any person who shall knowingly be in anywise concerned in the insertion of any such false advertisement in any newspaper printed or published in the City of St. Louis shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not less than five dollars nor more than one hundred dollars.

BUSINESS CARDS

Solid agate, 25c line; out-of-town, 25c daily, 30c Sunday; minimum 2 lines. Three or more insertions 1c line discount.

MISCELLANEOUS NOTICES

GAS PIPE CLEANERS

GAS pipes blown out by high pressure carbonic air, $2.50; guaranteed; adjustments free. Call Maxwell, Central 3277X, Sidney 2662. (c100)

STOVE REPAIRS

A. G. BRAUER SUPPLY CO. Stove repairs. 316-318 N. 3d st. (8)

FURNACES, HEATING, ETC.

FURNACES cleaned and repaired; ash pits, $14. 3029 S. 7th. Sidney 3538. (1)

STORAGE AND MOVING

ADVANCE Moving Co., $4.50 load or contract; furniture in exchange. Bomont 1329. (c8)

MOVING — $2.50 per hour; 2-ton truck. Brasch's Storage. Bomont 2978, Central 2978. (c8)

MOVING AND STORAGE—Rates reduced; not in movers' combine. Independent Moving Co. Bomont 1916. 3206 Olive. (c8)

SOUTH SIDE STORAGE AND MOVING CO., 1903 Sidney st.; fireproof warehouse. Victor 607. Sidney 235. (c8)

WE have room for several loads of storage, reasonable rates; bonded warehouse. West End Storage Co., 3016 Chouteau av. Victor 746, Grand 256. (c6)

WALL PAPER CLEANING, ETC

PAPER HANGING—In exchange for anything. McHenry, 1556 S. 2d st. (7)

ROOMS papered, $4 up; best work. Nagle, 3832 Laclede. Both phones. (c7)

PAPER HANGING done in exchange for what have you? Colfax 1620. (c7)

PROFESSIONAL

Solid agate, 25c line. Out-of-town 25c daily, 30c Sunday. Toilet Articles, Medical, 30c daily, 35c Sunday; out-of-town 35c daily or Sunday; minimum 2 lines. Three insertions or more 1c line discount.

AUDITING AND ACCOUNTING

ACCOUNTANT—Sit.; will keep your books; draw up monthly financial statement and make income tax return; moderate monthly fee. Box F-153, Post-Dispatch. (7)

DANCING

JOIN private class. Princess Academy, Monday and Friday evenings. Lindell 3054W. (c8)

THE latest dance steps taught privately, daily and evenings. Adams Private Dancing School, 3965 West Pine. Lindell 4745. (c8)

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50 INSTRUCTORS—All the modern dances taught in 4 private or 10 class lessons; private lessons given any hour; classes evenings. Start any time. Arcadia School of Dancing, 3523 Olive. Both phones. (c8)

NOW OPEN—Cave Dancing Academy, Olive and 29th sts.; every Sunday afternoon and every evening except Mondays. Famous Cave Orchestra; instructions every Wednesday and Friday evening. Admission, men 65c, ladies 35c, including tax. (c8)

LEARN to dance quickly and correctly at Cave Dancing Academy, 29th and Olive sts., every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoon; also Wednesday and Friday evenings; men, 65c; ladies, 35c; no extra charges; private lessons by appointment. Phone Bomont 2999. (c8)

DETECTIVES

DETECTIVE—Expert, shadowing, investigating; reasonable charges. Automobile service. 4633 Newberry. Forest 7594. (7)

DETECTIVE—Does shadowing, investigating, locates missing people; confidential. 3678 Finney. Lindell 5102. Delmar 3744X. (7)

INSTRUCTION

LADIES—Learn hairdressing, manicuring, marceling, beauty culture; big future. St. Louis School Hairdressing, 804 Pine. (6)

TRADE SCHOOLS

TRI-CITY BARBER COLLEGE — Wanted, ladies and men; tuition, $25; catalogue free; strictly modern; electric massage; hydraulic chairs. 811 Market. (c82)

LADIES—We have established a night class in all branches of beauty culture; one who is not in a position to attend our day class can now learn this profession by attending night classes; customers can also avoid our afternoon rush by patronizing our evening classes; hours 6 to 9. Call for full particulars. Moler College, 810 N. 6th st. (c13)

PATENTS

PATENTS OBTAINED—Advice and folder free. F. J. Larson, 105 N. 7th st. Olive 576. (7)

THEATRICAL

AMATEURS Wtd.—Tonight, at Grand-Florissant Theater. Adults only; prizes, $10, $5, $3. Come early. (c)

EMPLOYMENT WANTED

Solid agate, first three lines or less 40c; additional lines 20c each. Three or more insertions 1c line discount. NEVER send ORIGINAL recommendations in applying for employment. Use COPIES.

MEN, BOYS

BAKER—Sit.; first hand; on bread and rolls. Box C-419, Post-Dispatch. (7)

BOOKKEEPER—Sit.; middle-aged; experienced; reasonable salary. Phone, Lindell 4237J. (1)

CHAUFFEUR—With private family; will do own repairing; five years' experience; best references. Box F-88, Post-Dispatch. (7)

CHAUFFEUR—Sit.; private family; 12 years' experience; can do repairing; references. Bee Strozier. Bomont 1967W. (7)

MAN—Sit.; Experienced in grocery; position; city reference. Box C-323, Post-Dispatch. (7)

PHARMACIST—Sit.; registered; wishes position in city. E. C. Kinney. Call Benton 952W. (6)

PROOFREADER—Position by first-class; competent O K on press proofs. Box K-288, Post-Dispatch. (c91)

SITUATIONS—WOMEN, GIRLS

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit., or cook, in boarding house, out of city. Apply 128 N. 4th st., rear. East St. Louis.

LAUNDRESS—Sit.; will call for and deliver, rough dry, 8c per pound; all flat pieces, folded and ironed 12c per pound. 4855 Austria. (1)

MAID—Sit. by colored girl as maid; permanent position. Phone Bomont 2718.

WOMAN—Sit.; washing or house cleaning by day. Mary Kinslow, 1427 N. 13th; upstairs in rear. (7)

HELP WANTED

Solid agate, 25c line; out-of-town, 25c daily, 30c Sunday; minimum 2 lines. Three or more insertions 1c line discount. NEVER send ORIGINAL recommendations in applying for employment. Use COPIES.

MEN, BOYS

BARBER—Good, for Saturday; guaranteed $7. 4414 Fair av.

BOY—To work in stock room and run errands. St. Louis Glass & Queensware Co., 1121 Olive. (c)

BUNDLE WRAPPER—Man; experienced only need apply. 825 N. 6th st. (c)

CANDY MAKER—Experienced, to make candy of all kinds; out of town; state salary and references. Box K-18, Post-Dispatch. (6)

COMPOSITOR—C. B. Nicholson Printing Co., 100 S. Main. (c6)

DRAFTSMAN—Competent, planing mill estimator and detail; must be thoroughly experienced, reliable and possess good business qualifications; permanent position for right man; applicants state age and experience. Fort Worth Planing Mill Co., Fort Worth, Tex. (c6)

HELP WANTED—MEN, BOYS

FLORIST—Experienced; for greenhouse work. Edwin Denker, 4th and Clay, St. Charles, Mo.

FURNITURE FINISHER—Experienced on antique furniture. 4632 Delmar bl.

MAN—To run small lunchroom. 2301 Market.

MAN—Experienced, to assemble phonograph cabinets and capable of taking charge of department. Box B-207, P.-D.

MANAGER—Capable of managing high-class specialty business and directing salesmen; prefer one experienced in cash registers, adding machines, scales, typewriters or kindred lines, splendid opportunity for one with above qualifications; all communications strickly confidential. Box C-327, Post-Dispatch. (7)

MEN—2; young; about 16 years old, for office and store; in wholesale line. Apply in own handwriting stating age, experience and salary expected. Box K-285, Post-Dispatch.

PRINTERS
Monotype keyboard operators.
Caster machinists and runners
Linotype operators and machinists.
Hand compositors
Ad and makeup men
for open shop trade plant; steady position to competent and reliable men. SMITH-McCARTHY TYPESETTING CO., 637 S. Dearborn St., Chicago. (c7)

SALESMAN—WE WANT A REAL SALESMAN. ONE WHO CAN PRODUCE RESULTS; SALARY NO OBJECT, AS THE COMMISSION EARNS WILL FAR EXCEED A FIXED STIPULATION; OPERATE ON LONG ESTABLISHED ROUTE SELLING COFFEE, TEA AND FOOD PRODUCTS DIRECT FROM PRODUCER TO CONSUMER. POSITION IS WORTH $35 TO $50 PER WEEK. IF YOU HAVE THE QUALIFICATIONS THAT ARE ESSENTIAL TO A REAL SALESMAN, BOND REQUIRED. JEWEL TEA CO., INC., 2211 PINE ST. (c7)

STENOGRAPHER—Spanish-English foreign correspondent, male, good education; local manufacturing company; state age; experience; salary expected; permanent position and proper advancement; traveling representative if capable. Box F-79, Post-Dispatch. (1)

TRADE SCHOOLS

SEE these advertisements following INSTRUCTION.

AGENTS WANTED—MEN

AGENTS—Sell honey for 20c a lb. See me Sunday, 2d floor, 1108 Dillon.

AGENTS—Write for particulars of an article you can sell to men; costs less than 10c; sells for $1; sworn statement of one hustler, average $15 daily. F. M. Pyatt, Box 362, Sioux City, Ia.

CANVASSERS AND SOLICITORS

CANVASSERS—Experienced (Catholic goods). Full commissions paid promptly; 8:30 to 9:30. P. L. Baine, 402 N. 2d st.

SOLICITORS—Men or women, for butter and butterine. 1207 N. Euclid av.

PARTNERS WANTED

PARTNER Wtd.—Man to invest $500 and services for half interest in manufacturing cold cream; guaranteed salary $35 per week. Box F-151, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMEN WANTED

SALESMEN—See sales manager Olive Street Terrace Realty Co., 1608 Boatmen's Bank Bldg.

SALESMAN—Real live wire specialty salesman can easily earn $100 per week selling nationally known collection system. Box K-116, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMEN—2, with a side line, to sell sweet cider on commission basis; can make $25 to $35 a week. Apply 3123 Easton.

SALESMEN—Proposition men; big money maker; commissions paid immediately. Write or wire Carusola, 3120 N. 24th st., Omaha, Neb.

SALESMEN—Experienced weekly sick and accident men; salary and high commission; state experience. Box Y-416, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMEN—4; experienced for city drug and jewelry trade; Christmas specialty; 3 weeks only, making up to $20 everyday. Ask for Mr. Hill, St. Francis Hotel, 10 to 4 Sunday and Monday.

SALESMEN—Real estate or security salesmen, are you making $1000 per month? If not, I will show you how it can be done. Call 9 a. m. or 2 p. m. DEMAREE, 506 Title Guaranty bldg.

SALESMEN—Side line; 2 weeks only; red hot Christmas seller; $10 to $50 made extra in every town; light sample. See Mr. Hill, St. Francis Hotel, 10 to 4 Sunday and Monday.

SALESMAN—To cover local hardware trade; patented screen door; big seller; no competition; commission liberal. Universal "Fly-Exit" Screens Co., Louisville, Ky.

SALESMEN—The local branch of a large tire manufacturer has openings for 2 high-grade salesmen, who want permanent positions and advancement; must be successful men and have best references; give full particulars in first letter; men who have sold tires, typewriters and adding machines preferred. Box T-83, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—For 100 Illinois towns; must be experienced selling food or feed in car lots. Must have long traveling experience and large personal acquaintance among elevators, feed dealers and wholesale grocers; stage age, salary, what sold and selling experience fully; no specialty salesmen wanted. The Union Salt Co., Cleveland, O.

MEN—YOUNG AND AMBITIOUS TO CONNECT WITH RESPONSIBLE BOND HOUSE; HAVE POSITIONS OPEN; GREEK, FRENCH AND ITALIAN SALESMEN. PHONE OLIVE 3065 FOR INTERVIEW.

SHOE SALESMAN

Large, long established New England manufacturer, selling women's shoes direct to retail trade, desires man for the states of Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma and Arkansas, Jan. 1, 1922. Commission, drawing account and expenses; state experience and qualifications. Address LAWRENCE ALLEN, Hotel Statler, St. Louis.

HELP WANTED—WOMEN, GIRLS

BUTTONHOLE MAKERS—And felling hands on custom work; at once. 107 N. 9th, room 1.

COOK—Catholic, for religious community. 2615 Stoddard.

COOK—Experienced; Cella rd., Wydown 99W.

DISHWASHER—410 Morgan.

GIRLS—5 for grocery; must be experienced. Apply 717 Washington.

GIRL—For clerical position; first-class place of employment. Box C-215, Post-Dispatch.

GIRL—Experienced white, for dining-room and first-floor work; no cooking; references required. Mrs. E. W. Groves Jr., Hampton Park, Wydown 194.

GIRLS! GIRLS!

LIGHT, CLEAN, PERMANENT FACTORY WORK
TWO SHIFTS DAILY
Shift No. 1 works from 7:00 a. m. to 12:00 noon and 12:30 to 3:30 p. m.
Shift No. 2 works from 3:30 to 7:00 p. m. and 7:15 to 11:30 p. m.
Same hours on all 6 week days, making 48-hour weekly shifts.
Crunden-Martin Manufacturing Co., 2d and Gratiot Sts.
ASK FOR MR. REINHOLD
Take Broadway, Fourth, Lee, Natural Bridge and Tower Grove lines to 800 south and walk east to Second street. (c7)

HOUSEGIRL—Competent; white; to cook and general housework; good wages, 3 in family; references required. 4848 Fountain.

HOUSEGIRL—White, reliable; for general housework; 3 adults. 3747 Washington. Lindell 812W.

HOUSEGIRL—White; for general housework; must have references.

HELP WANTED—WOMEN, GIRLS

HOUSEMAID—Good, experienced, settled woman for general housework; no laundry; family of 2. 11 Windermere pl.

HOUSEWOMAN—For housework. Apply Episcopal Orphans' Home, 1711 S. Grand. (c7)

LADIES—Four ambitious ladies, from 25 to 50 years of age, interested in making $100 a month, to care for 4 open districts and give residence corset service to clients for Spirella Co. If interested, phone Mrs. Clara Drake, general city organizer, Maryland Hotel, room 212. (4)

LADY—Young; neat appearance; as saleslady in retail store. Apply 707 Washington av., P. C. Murphy Trunk Co.

MARRIED COUPLE—To run a rooming house; must have references. 1431 Locust.

SPOTTER—Experienced on ladies' and gents' garments. Apply Grand Dyeing and Cleaning Co., 3128 Easton. (c7)

WOMAN—Reliable, to care for child while mother works; stay on place; references required. Lindell 6597. (7)

WOMAN—Middle-aged, to care for sick lady who is convalescing; good home. Call after 4, 5923 Page. (c)

YOUNG WOMEN—Over 20, to take up nursing. Apply to Miss Van Sickle, 2009 East Grand.

THE Y. W. C. A. Employment Dept., 1411 Locust, is at the service of girls and women seeking employment in offices, stores or factories; expert advice also given on means of increasing one's efficiency; service free. (c8)

CANVASSERS AND SOLICITORS—WOMEN

CANVASSERS—Three women. Apply after 1 p. m., Southland Studio, 1310A Olive.

SALESWOMEN WANTED

SALESLADIES—To call on housewives with mysterious cloth and Halliway renovator; real household necessity. American Specialty Co., 2716 Olive st. (c6)

YOUNG LADIES TO TRAVEL, CANVASSING; EXPERIENCE PREFERRED, NOT ESSENTIAL. APPLY LADIES' RECEPTION ROOM MAJESTIC HOTEL AFTER 1 P. M. TODAY. MR. SHERWOOD. (v)

BUSINESS CHANCES

Solid agate, 25c line; out-of-town, 25c daily, 30c Sunday; minimum 2 lines. Three or more insertions 1c line discount.

BUSINESS CHANCES

HOTEL—The Galt House; three-story brick building, 25 rooms; new steam heating plant; all rooms newly decorated; the only hotel in St. Charles; rent reasonable to experienced party. Box J-230, Post-Dispatch. (c7)

BUSINESS WANTED

BUSINESS OR PARTNER Wtd.—Have $2000, some credit, business ability, half or full time, other assets, to invest in business, any line, but must be profitable; will buy or enter partnership; give details. Box C-206, Post-Dispatch. (7)

WILL trade good automobile for paying business. 1828 Rutger st.

BUSINESS FOR SALE

AUTO REPAIR SHOP—Equipment; welding outfit, supplies, etc.; established business; good location; sacrifice on account of sickness. Benton 1245. (7)

BAKERY—Well established best bargain ever offered. A. W. Gerson Agency, Wood River, Ill. (9)

BATTERY BUSINESS—And generator; a bargain. 301 Fillmore st. (7)

CANDY STORE—Good location for bakery branch, at reasonable price. 2739 Chippewa. (1)

CANDY STORE—Factory; wholesale; established; fine corner and flat; reason, other business. 2901 Virginia av. (c7)

CLEANING, dyeing and pressing business; a good location in a good town; established 5 years; must sell on account of poor health. A. W. Gerson, No. 12, Ferguson av., Wood River, Ill. (9)

COFFEE AND TEA BUSINESS—Complete, with route and machine. 7029 S. Broadway; any reasonable offer will be accepted; proprietor leaving town. (7)

DRY GOOD STORE—Box C-19, Post-Dispatch. (7)

GROCERY—Paying well established; at a sacrifice price. A. W. Gerson Agency, No. 12 Ferguson av., Wood River, Ill. (9)

GROCERY—Meat market; good location; worth $2500; will sacrifice for $1250. 2014 Market st. (7)

POOL ROOM—2 tables, $175. 5861 Manchester. (7)

SOFT DRINK PARLOR—Good paying; phone Sidney 1401. 4024 S. Broadway.

SEE Central Business Exchange to buy, sell; reasonable terms. 925 Chestnut. (c8)

FOR SALE—WTD

Solid agate, 25c line. Out-of-town order, 25c daily, 30c Sunday; minimum 2 lines. Three or more insertions 1c per line discount.

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

CASH REGISTERS—See Store and Office Fixture heading for other cash register ads. (8)

COAL—In 5-ton loads; $5.50 ton. Tyler 1087R. (6)

COAL—See us before buying. Mound City Coal Co. Bomont 1130, Central 6138. (c6)

COAL—In 1 and 2 ton loads; $6 per ton. Forest 4865M. (c7)

COAL—All grades of coal at lowest prices; 10 Eagle Stamps free with each ton. Blankenberg Coal Co., Central 5744. Tyler 1896; after 7 p. m. call Tyler 1087R. (c4)

COAL! COAL! Why wait? Buy your coal now. Best lump, $7; lump, $6; egg, $5.75; nut, $5.75; mine run, $5.50; quick delivery by fast truck from mine to your door. Anderson Coal Co., Grand 751, Delmar 488. (c8)

FURNACE—All complete, with pipes and registers, for $50. 4371 Laclede. (c7)

FURNACE—Front Rank, almost new, with pipes and registers, all complete; can be seen Sunday at 4371 Laclede av. Telephone Lindell 4726, Delmar 1590. (c7)

1000 PIPELESS FURNACES

Just right for your house; all standard makes; these furnaces are like new; all sizes, from $45 to $65. Delivered to any part of St. Louis. J. A. STERN, 17th and Chestnut sts. Both phones. (c8)

PAINTS—We make the best. Established 1898. Mechanics' Paint Co., 715 Franklin av. (c8)

POOLROOM FIXTURES—6 tables. 3752 S. 4th st. (7)

POOL TABLES—Five; Brunswick; in first-class condition. Chas. F. Wangelin, Belleville, Ill. (c7)

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS

FURNACE Wtd.—To buy a hot-air second-hand furnace. Telephone Lindell 4726, Delmar 1590. (c7)

[illegible]ER'S TOOLS Wtd.—A set. John Kaup, 216 N. 4th st., Hannibal, Mo. (c3)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE

CHINA CLOSET—1911 N. 13th st.

GAS RANGE—On legs; in good condition; $15, delivered. 5723 Easton av. (c7)

GAS RANGES—75, $8 up; 50 heaters, $6. 2816 Franklin. (c8)

DINING-ROOM SET—Ivory twin bed set, 8 pieces. 4270 Delmar bl. (6)

EDEN WASHER—For Xmas; a year old, condition excellent; $65. 5561 Clemens av.; phone Forest 7806W. (1)

FURNITURE—Of 2 rooms; 50 bushels coal; $75. 1315 Allen av., 3d floor. (6)

FURNITURE—Contents of 3-room flat; must sell. 622 Bates. (c7)

FURNITURE—6-room apartment; reasonable; apartment for rent to party buying furniture. Lindell 765. (7)

FURNITURE—Parlor; good condition; call afternoon; no dealers. 4135A Westminster. (c7)

FURNITURE—Of 6 rooms, complete; also rental of flat and garage. 3102 Easton. (c7)

FURNITURE—Complete mahogany furnishings for dining and living-room, including Baldwin player-piano, reed library set, Brunswick graphophone, bedroom set; also new gas stove and cabinet; will dispose of all or part of furnishings account sickness. Call Forest 1512W. (7)

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE—Piano, 2 base-burners, 3 tons chestnut coal and other things; reason, moving South. 3006A Olive. (6)

RANGE—Majestic, and Charter Oak base-burner. 2903 Union av. (6)

RANGE—Beautiful blue enamel Quick Meal. 2014 Vernon. (1)

STOVE—Wilson heater; also stoves for your place or storeroom. 5251 Page. (c6)

CHEAPEST place in town to buy furniture or anything else. Davenports, $5; ranges and cook stoves, $5; heating stoves, $5; gas stoves, $2.50; iron beds, $2.50; springs, $2.50; mattresses, $2; dressers, $5; side-boards, $5; kitchen chairs, 75c; sewing machines, $3.50. Come and see us. Gruber Furn. Co., 17th and Papin sts. (c4)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE

FURNISHED HOUSES AND FLATS.

FURNITURE—Of 4-room flat; can rent flat. 2723A Stoddard st.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS WANTED

ANDIRONS—Furniture, carpets, contents of flats, dwellings, large or small lots; need goods badly; best cash prices. Schober, 4455 Page. Delmar 2985. Forest 3353. (8)

ANDIRONS—Furniture; highest cash prices paid for contents of apartments, residences; pianos; or small lots. Dennis Bros., Forest 5025 or Delmar 3864. (c8)

FEATHER BEDS Wtd.—AA1; 1000; we pay highest prices for old and new feathers; delivery machine will call immediately. Pillow Mfg. Co., 1307-11 Biddle st. Central 5614, Olive 4161. (c6)

FURNITURE Wtd.—Dining suites, chiffo-robes, rugs, etc. Portmann, Central 5659, Tyler 61. (c6)

FURNITURE Wtd.—Carpets and stoves; large or small lots. Frank C. Baker, 2914 Franklin av. Bomont 1544, Central 6112. (c12)

FURNITURE Wtd.—Badly; contents of flat, dwelling; large or small lots; best cash prices. Orcutt, Cabany 6030, Delmar 694. (8)

FURNITURE Wtd.—Large or small lots, entire contents of flats or residences; also taken in exchange for moving. West End Storage and Moving Co., 3016 Chouteau. Victor 746, Grand 250. (c6)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS Wtd.—All kinds; highest cash prices paid for contents of apartments and residences; pianos, Victrolas, Oriental and domestic rugs, bric-a-brac, paintings, etc. Leonori Auction Co., 3507 Lucas av. Call Lindell 2160. (c8)

20,000 POUNDS of feathers; pay 30-60c for old, 60-70c for new. Montana Feather Co. Auto call. Delmar 865, Forest 767. 4426 Page bl. (d)

ANIMALS

FOR SALE

AIREDALE PUPPIES—Females. 6024 Way st. Benton 1132. (c7)

BEAGLE HOUNDS—3 female; 14 months old; broke $15 apiece. Apply Ed. Stranhun, Ellsberry, Mo., or Grand 86. (7)

BUILDING MATERIALS

OLD concrete, suitable for roads, free for hauling. Apply Certain-teed Products Co., 17th and Broadway, East St. Louis. (c)

CLOTHING

WANTED

APPAREL Wtd.—20,000 suits, overcoats, pants, shoes, hats, dresses; highest prices paid; auto calls. Phone Lindell 3135. Delmar 2003. H. Appelman, 4218 Page. (c8)

APPAREL—25,000 suits, overcoats, pants, shoes, dresses for shipment foreign countries; pay up $35; auto call, 15 minutes. Delmar 865. Forest 767. Gelber. 4426 Page bl. (8)

FOR SALE

COATS—New, fur; $50 and $70. Cabany 3796R. (c7)

BIG REDUCTION

In prices of women's slightly worn suits, coats and dresses; also special assortment of wonderful evening dresses for the holiday season. Sales Saturdays and Mondays from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

SOCIETY WARDROBE EXCHANGE, 3109 S. Grand. (c7)

MEN'S CLOTHING

Suits and overcoats of the best materials at the most reasonable prices. Sales Saturdays and Mondays from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. 3109 S. Grand.

SOCIETY WARDROBE EXCHANGE. (c7)

EXCHANGE

CONFECTIONERY Wtd.—Or chicken farm; will trade 12-room rooming house. W. L. Myers, 1534 Franklin. (7)

GOLD AND SILVER

CASH paid gold, silver, platinum, broken jewelry, false teeth. Miller, 1322 Olive. (c8)

CASH paid for old gold, silver, diamonds, platinum. S. Smith & Co., 513 N. Grand, 5 doors north of Olive st. (8)

HIGHEST prices paid for old gold, broken jewelry and diamonds. Miller, 703½ Market st. (1)

JEWELRY—WATCHES

DIAMONDS Wtd.—We pay the highest cash prices for your diamonds. S. Smith & Co., 513 N. Grand, 5 doors north of Olive. (c8)

DIAMONDS bought up to $500 per carat; any size, any amount. Miller, 1322 Olive. (c8)

ALL pawn tickets bought, diamonds, jewelry, clothing, bonds, furniture, fixtures. 2340A Olive. (8)

PATENTS

SEE these advertisements under the general group of PROFESSIONAL. (8)

SAFES

SAFES—New and used; repairing done. John Baumann Safe Co., 421 N. 4th st. (c8)

SAFE EXPERTS—Thoroughly equipped safe repair and service department. Howe Scale Co., 512 St. Charles st. Both phones. (c8)

SAFES—Overstocked with bargains in Herring-Hall-Marvin safes, vault doors and deposit boxes, new or rebuilt; terms to suit. Howe Scale Co., 512 St. Charles st. Both phones. (c8)

SEWING MACHINES

SEWING MACHINE—Singer; $3.50; at a sacrifice; sews well. 2825 Washington. (6)

SEWING MACHINE—Drophead; golden oak; good looker and sewer; only $12. 4448 Easton. (c91)

TYPEWRITERS AND ADDING MACHINES

TYPEWRITER—No. 4 Underwood; excellent condition; $40. 3208 St. Vincent av.

TYPEWRITERS—Underwood; latest models; factory rebuilt, $65; used Underwoods $45; Remingtons $40, Royal 10, $50; Oliver 9, $35; rentals 3 months $7.50 upward. Rebuilt Co., 211 N. 10th, Olive 7245. (8)

HORSES AND VEHICLES

FOR SALE

MULES—5107 Natural Bridge rd. Call between 8 and 12. (c7)

HORSES—If you are looking for horses, we have them; large assortment. Lowenstein & Williamson, 1321-25 N. Broadway. (c8)

MACHINERY

WANTED

GENERATOR Wtd.—Good secondhand, 75 to 100 kilowats, alternating current, either belt-driven or direct connected to steam. Thomas & Praetz Lumber Co., 3400 N. Hall. (c7)

ALL machinery bought and sold by us. Schoellhorn-Albrecht Machine Co., 721 N. 2d st., St. Louis, Mo. (c8)

FOR SALE

MACHINERY—For sale, bought, repaired. John Romming Machine Co., 308 S. 1st. (c15)

MACHINERY—Largest stock, bought, sold, exchanged. Brown Machine Co., 2323 N. 9th. (c15)

AUTOMOBILES

Solid agate, 25c line; out-of-town, 25c daily, 30c Sunday; minimum 2 lines. Three or more insertions 1c line discount.

WANTED

AUTOMOBILES bought, all kinds; money loaned; quick cash. 2219 Gravois. (c8)

ALL AUTOMOBILES bought; loans while using; second loans; don't sacrifice automobile. 2340A Olive. (8)

MONEY loaned on automobiles; late model cars bought, sold. Auto Auct. Co., 1210 Olive st. (c8)

AUTOS WANTED BADLY

If you want to sell your automobile and get a better price for it, see the OLIVE MOTOR CO., 4374 Olive. Lindell 1538. (c7)

100 AUTOS WANTED

Before Jan. 1; any kind; pay $100 to $2000 cash; we pay $25-$100 more than other dealers. See us before you sell.

YAHLEM MOTOR, 1035 N. Grand. (c8)

WANTED

Late models, high-grade used cars; must be in good running condition; customers waiting; highest prices paid. FEDERAL MOTOR SALES CO., 2229-31 Locust st. (c8)

AUTOMOBILE INSTRUCTION

AUTO REPAIRING taught by actual practice; start any time; prices reduced. Missouri Auto and Tractor School, 2810 Olive st., St. Louis, Mo. (c15)

REPAIRING AND PAINTING

AUTO REPAIRING Wtd.—Any make, at 75c per hour, according to shop time. Forest 4745. (7)

COUPES FOR SALE

CHEVROLET—1921, new, classy, $495, cost $1485; terms; trade anything. 2340A Olive. (7)

DODGE—Coupe; wire wheels; like new. John C. Greulich Realty Co., Grand and Hebert. (c2)

FORD—Coupe; 1920; middling good shape; leaving city. Call Benton 617. (7)

FORD—Coupe; a real bargain; 1920; terms. 523 N. Vandeventer. (c1)

FORD COUPES—See these bargains, $250 to $425; terms if desired; all in good condition. Mendenhall, Ford Dealers, 2315 Locust st. Open evenings. (c6)

FORD—Coupes; several, from $175 to $450; you can find the coupe here at the price you want to pay; cash or terms. Ayres Auto Co., authorized Ford dealers, 1418 N. King's highway. (c6)

FORD—Coupe, 1920; several extras; $375; Oakland 6 sedan, $485; Ford roadster, 1921, $280; Ford touring, $135; terms. 4243 Washington, rear. (c7)

HUDSON COUPE

In elegant condition. Why freeze when you can own this beautiful Hudson coupe, with practically new tires, burnt-off paint job, for the price of a Ford? Will guarantee this car for 30 days. This car is worth $800; owner needs the money; will let it go for $525; $150 down, balance easy terms; no interest or brokerage.

OLIVE MOTOR CO., 4374 Olive st. Open evenings and Sundays. (c1)

COUPE—1920; first-class mechanical condition; demountable rims, starter, good tires; the best buy in the city at $160 down, balance easy terms. 4166 Olive. (c)

CLARKE MOTOR CO., 1123 PINE

1920 Ford coupe; starter and demountables. (c3)

LIMOUSINES FOR SALE

LIMOUSINE—A real service car. 1737 G st., Granite City, Ill. (c7)

ROADSTERS FOR SALE

CADILLAC—Roadster; 1914; $85; $45 down. 3850 Easton.

CHANDLER—Chummy roadster; plenty of power and pep; if you are looking for a real good buy, here it is. Come in and inspect it; no reasonable offer refused. Seen at Federal Motor Sales Co., 2229-31-33 Locust st. (c6)

FORD—Runabout, starter and demountables; looks and runs like new; cash or terms. Ayres Auto Co., authorized Ford dealers, 1418 N. King's highway. (c6)

FORD—1920 roadster; in dandy condition; starting and lighting system; good tires; new top; will sacrifice, $210; terms. 4166 Olive st. (c)

FORD—Roadster, 1920, in perfect running condition and looks good; $265; can arrange terms. Mendenhall, Ford Dealers, 2315 Locust st. Open evenings. (c6)

FORD USED 1920 ROADSTER.
Bargains; terms; trade.
UNIVERSAL, 2620 Olive. (2)

FORD ROADSTER, 1921

Here is a practically new Ford, with regular Ford starter, shock absorbers, steering lock; looks and runs like the day it left the factory; owner used it very little; cost owner over $525; first $275 takes it, cash or easy terms.

OLIVE MOTOR CO., 4374 Olive st. Open evenings and Sundays. (c1)

OAKLAND—Perfect, sacrifice, $395; $100 down; hurry; terms; trade anything. 2340A Olive. (7)

PIERCE-ARROW—Roadster; splendid condition. 3916 Washington bl., Von Arx Auto Co. (c7)

SEDANS FOR SALE

CHEVROLET—Sedan; 1920 490; good condition; $400; or will take Ford roadster or truck as part payment. 109 N. 15th st. Olive 8219. (c6)

FORD—Sedan, 1921 model; beautiful car; reasonable; terms if wanted. 3114 Cass.

FORD—Sedan, 1920; reconditioned and repainted, $460; can arrange terms. Mendenhall, Ford Dealers, 2315 Locust st. Open evenings. (c6)

FORD—Sedan, 7 months old, in A1 condition; $460 cash or terms. Ayres Auto Co., authorized Ford dealers, 1418 N. King's highway. (c6)

FORD—Sedan; 1920; excellent mechanical condition; good tires; demountable rims, starting and lighting system, stop signal, sun shades; an exceptional bargain at the price; $172 down, balance easy terms. 4166 Olive st. (c)

CLARKE MOTOR CO., 1123 PINE

1920 Ford sedan; starter and demountables. (c3)

TOURING CARS FOR SALE

APPERSON 8—Cost $4500, sacrifice; beautiful sport model; terms; trade. 2340A Olive. (7)

AUBURN—Beauty Six, in perfect condition; owner will sacrifice for quick sale, $800, cash or terms. 4735 Page. (7)

BUICK—Touring, 1920; appearance as new, $725; Haynes touring, $450; Oldsmobile 8, $450; Oakland, $350; terms. 4243 Washington, rear. (c7)

BUICK—1920 K-45 touring; a perfect running and sounding car; very good paint and top, all good tires, Johnson lock, bumpers, lens; all accessories; will take a Ford touring or truck in trade or a real bargain if sold for cash; if you are in the market for a good car you should not pass this up. 3702 Gravois. (c7)

CHEVROLET—Late model tourings, roadsters, coupes and sedans; prices right; easy terms. Chevrolet Factory Branch, 4300 Forest Park bl. Both phones. (c5)

AUTOMOBILES

TOURING CARS FOR SALE

CHEVROLET—Touring; late model; door-opening curtains; repainted and overhauled; easy terms. Lindell 373, Delmar 999. 3916 Enright. (c6)

CHEVROLET—Touring, 1921 model; thoroughly overhauled, repainted and guaranteed; see this before buying new car; terms to suit. Lindell 373, Delmar 999. 3916 Enright. (c6)

COLE 8—Classy, 1917, beautiful, repainted, $495; your terms; trade. 2340A Olive. (7)

DODGE—Touring; excellent motor, 5 good tires, curtains, motometer, shifting lock; $345; $175 down or trade. 3850 Easton.

DODGE—Touring, in A1 mechanical condition; sold cheap for cash; our price is $250. Seen at Federal Motor Sales Co., 2229-31-33 Locust st. (c6)

FORDS, $95, $185; winter top, $25 and $50 down; trade. 2340A Olive. (7)

FORDS—15 tourings and roadsters, $75 up; cash, terms, trade. 3631 Easton. (c8)

FORDS—Touring and roadster, with or without starters. 523 N. Vandeventer. (c1)

FORD—Touring car; in good condition, $75; residence. 3611 Cass. (7)

FORD—Touring car; late model; starter and demountables; bargain; easy terms. 3916 Enright. (c6)

FORD—Touring; 1919; first-class shape; good tires, Hassler shock absorbers and Yale lock; $150. 1619 Lafayette. (c7)

FORD—1917 touring; good mechanical condition; good paint and tires; a real buy at $115. 4166 Olive st. (c)

FORD—Touring; late model body; good tires; $85; $42.50 down; trade. 3850 Easton.

FORD—Touring, 1921. This car is first-class and looks like new; only $300; can arrange terms. Mendenhall, Ford Dealers, 2315 Locust st. Open evenings. (c6)

FORD—Touring car, starter; a big bargain at $250, cash or terms. Ayres Auto Co., authorized Ford dealers, 1418 N. King's highway. (c6)

FORD—1920 touring; excellent mechanical condition; new cord tires on rear; good tires on front; starter; $106 down, balance easy terms. 4166 Olive st. (c)

FORD—Touring; beautiful car; streamline body; one man top; shock absorbers; fine tires; perfect condition, $175; called out of town. Room 642, Claridge Hotel, phone Bomont 4300.

FORD USED 1920 TOURING.
Bargains; terms; trade.
UNIVERSAL, 2620 Olive. (2)

Ford Touring—$50 Cash

Down buys this Ford touring, with shock absorbers, steering lock, speedometer, new curtains, 6 tires; runs good; first $160 takes it. OLIVE MOTOR CO., 4374 Olive st. Open evenings and Sundays. (c1)

GARDNER—1921 model touring; $250 down, balance easy terms. See Wilson at Riefling's, 2333 S. Jefferson. (c7)

MAXWELL—1921 touring car, in excellent condition; a written guarantee; 30 days' trial allowed; seen at Federal Motor Sales Co., 2229-31-33 Locust st. (c6)

MOON—1921 demonstrator; has just been repainted in our factory; looks like new; 5 disc wheels, cord tires; guaranteed to be in perfect condition; $1390, no less. Ralph Moberly Moon Motor Car Co., 3115 Locust, Bomont 85. (c7)

OLDSMOBILE 8—First-class condition, $250, terms. 1319 S. 18th st., at Park.

OVERLAND—Starter, etc., $74; $25 down; trade anything; hurry; bargain. 2340A Olive. (7)

STEARNS—7-passenger touring; good condition. Apply Ruemmeli-Dowley Mfg. Co., 3923 Chouteau av. (c7)

STEPHENS—Late model touring; A1 mechanical condition; this car sold with written guarantee; money back if not satisfied; cheap for cash. Seen at Federal Motor Sales Co., 2229-31-33 Locust. (c6)

TOURING CAR—Late model, 5-passenger; in A1 condition throughout; price $250. Ask to see Mrs. Whitney's car, at 2229 Locust st. (c6)

SEE NEWELL'S Reconditioned Automobile Display. Open Sunday and Evenings. 2621 Locust St. Bomont 2600, Central 2775. (6)

TRUCKS FOR SALE

FORD—Truck; light delivery; wing body; first-class condition; $170. 2207 Cass. (7)

FORD USED LIGHT TRUCK.
Bargain; terms; trade.
UNIVERSAL, 2620 Olive. (2)

STUDEBAKER—Truck; $165. 6158 Bartmer. (c7)

MOVING VAN—Brand-new; 2 months old; will sell cheap to a quick buyer, also will handle note. 3141-43 Meramec. Victor 953. (c8)

PIERCE-ARROW

Real Values in Used Trucks

PIERCE-ARROW—2-ton dump body	$3,000
DENBY—5-ton dump body	2,000
GARFORD—6-ton dump body	1,200
SELDEN—3½-ton stake body	1,000
MOGUL—2-ton stake body	750
REPUBLIC—1-ton dairy body	750
OLDSMOBILE—1-ton express	650

FOR TERMS SEE
PAUL WHITESCARVER,
WESTERN AUTOMOBILE CO.,
3021 OLIVE ST. (c8)

CHASSES FOR SALE

FORD—Chassis; good tires; $65; $32.50 down; big bargain. 3850 Easton.

FORD—1-ton chassis, $125. If you are in the market, see this too. Ayres Auto Co., authorized Ford dealers, 1418 N. King's highway. (c6)

FORD USED CHASSIS.
Bargains; terms; trade.
UNIVERSAL, 2620 Olive. (2)

BODIES FOR SALE

FORD BODIES—NEW AND USED.
Bargains; terms; trade.
UNIVERSAL, 2620 Olive. (2)

FORD BODY—Touring, new, never used; complete top, curtains, rug and rubber mat; I have no use for body and will sell cheap. Call Grand 466R. (c6)

ACCESSORIES, PARTS—FOR SALE

BATTERY bargains; brand new; $15; all sizes. Bomont 243, 313 N. Ewing. (7)

TIRES FOR SALE

TIRES—Used; biggest bargain in town; all sizes; $2 up; inner tubes, 75c; vulcanizing. 3850 Easton.

AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS

AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS

CRASH GO THE PRICES

Out they go—we are crowded for space and these cars must be sacrificed to make room. The first quick buyers get the bargains. No reasonable offer refused. Any terms within reason. Come early—we are going to sell 'em like "hot cakes."

	Price	Down Payment
Overland roadster	$100	$ 30
Studebaker touring	250	50
Jeffrey touring	185	35
Maxwell 1919 touring	295	75
Saxon 6 touring	365	75
Chevrolet 1920 touring	300	125
Ford touring	100	50
Olds 8 chummy	550	150
Buick 1920 roadster	875	300
Overland 6 touring	490	150
Dodge sedan	775	275
Allen sedan	650	200
Saxon 6 sedan	575	150

No interest charged. 1 year to pay balance. Trade your old car. Follow the crowds today. Don't wait, bargains like this sell in a hurry.

YAHLEM MOTOR CO.

1035 N. GRAND — Open Evenings and Sunday

MUSICAL

Solid agate, 25c line; out-of-town 25c daily, 30c Sunday; minimum 2 lines. Three or more insertions 1c line discount.

INSTRUMENTS FOR SALE

BAND INSTRUMENTS—Full set; cornet, clarinet, saxophone basses, baritone, trombone, euphonium, Deegee bells, Turkish cymbals, drums, all low pitch, to be shown at 5518 Virginia, between 4 and 6 p. m. (7)

PIANOS AND ORGANS

LAUTER HUMANA PLAYER PIANOS—A real pleasure to own one. Established 1862. We have been selling them for 18 years. We save you $250. Terms. KLEEKAMP PIANO CO., 3121-23 S. Grand. (c6)

PIANO—Upright, 1956 Provenchere pl., between Arsenal and Wyoming.

PIANO—Baby Grand; small size; $375. PHILLIPS PIANO STORE, 918 Pine. (c)

PLAYER-PIANO—Beautiful mahogany; new; sell cheap. 4155 Lindell, apartment 2B.

PLAYER PIANO—Have no room for nearly new $600 player-piano; will sell same for $160; rolls and bench. Mr. Lennington, Cabany 5159M. (c8)

PLAYER-PIANO—$175 buys used player-piano; elegant tone; $100 cash, balance easy payments; bench and music rolls; can be seen Sunday morning until 1 o'clock. Ask for Mr. Phillips, 918 Pine st. (c)

PLAYER-PIANO—$289 buys the best used player in the city for the price; worth two new cheap players; standard make. KLEEKAMP PIANO CO., 3121-23 S. Grand. (c6)

$50, $100, $150, $175 BUYS fine used uprights. Seeing is believing. KLEEKAMP PIANO CO., 3121-23 S. Grand. (c6)

DO you want a real piano bargain? I find it necessary to sell my high-grade piano for 25 per cent of its real value. Geo. R. A. Francis, 4137 Castleman, Grand 5637J. (c8)

TALKING MACHINES FOR SALE

PHONOGRAPHS—One upright and one console model; factory samples, absolutely new, at bargain prices; can be seen at room 314, Odd Fellows' Bldg. (c7)

VICTROLAS—Beautiful, new, sacrifice, $46; call evenings after 6. 3109 Whittier. (6)

USED PHONOGRAPHS—$30, $40, $50, $60, $75. Standard makes. KLEEKAMP PIANO CO., 3121-23 S. Grand. (c6)

TALKING MACHINES WANTED

CASH paid for all makes of talking machines and records. S. Smith & Co., 513 N. Grand av. Lindell 5736. (c8)

ROOMS and BOARD

In city, solid agate, 20c per line. Rooms Wanted, Hotels, Roommates, Country and Suburban Board 25c per line. Out-of-town, 25c daily, 30c Sunday. Minimum 2 lines. Three or more insertions 1c per line discount.

ROOMS WITH BOARD—CITY

ROOM AND BOARD—For two ladies employed. Forest 5357M. (7)

ROOM AND BOARD—Delightful front room, for refined guests; excellent table. Forest 8556. (6)

SOUTH

CRITTENDEN, 3438A—Nice room and good board; modern; all conveniences; private; small family; select vicinity; one block 3 car line; phone Grand 4381J. (c7)

JUNIATA, 3884A—Front room for 2 gentlemen or couple employed; breakfast and Sunday meal if desired. Grand 5919R. (7)

LAFAYETTE, 3537A—Large front room for 2; board reasonable.

MISSOURI, 1631—Nice room good meals. (7)

ROOM AND BOARD—Large, warm room, with board, for two; private family; home cooking; South Side. Grand 2375J.

SOUTHWEST

WISE, 4945—Widow will share her bungalow with two employed ladies; all conveniences; board; reasonable. Grand 226R. (7)

WEST

CATES, 5132—Nice front room; home cooking; gentlemen preferred; reasonable. Forest 8163.

DELMAR BL., 5049—Room, board, bath, for 2 people, $6; single room, $8.50.

LINDELL BL., 3942—Well furnished, steam heated room; continuous hot water; excellent meals. (3)

LINDELL, 4115—Large 2d floor room; running water; excellent meals; business people.

McPHERSON, 4474—Attractive, warm rooms with running water; home cooking; all conveniences. (3)

McPHERSON, 4956—Front room, best location; home cooking; modern accommodations; gentlemen, couples. (7)

McPHERSON, 4263—Well-furnished front room; steam heat; southern exposure; board.

MAPLE, 5634—Room and board for 2; private family; modern conveniences. Cabany 1584R. (6)

MAPLE, 5871—Nicely furnished warm room, with good home cooked meals, in owner's home; continuous hot water; reas. (7)

PERSHING, 5816—Neatly furnished room, private family; breakfast if desired; gentlemen or couple employed. Cabany 3894W. (7)

RAYMOND, 5000—Opportunity for 2 gentlemen or couple wanting accommodation in well-kept home; should investigate; excellent board. (7)

ROOM AND BOARD—In apartment; two girls employed; West End. Cabany 585M. (7)

VERNON, 5702—Front room; all conveniences; two gentlemen or couple. Forest 1962W. (7)

VERNON, 5705—Nicely furnished room for gentleman or couple employed; also single room; excellent meals. Cabany 4894M. (7)

WASHINGTON, 4367—Lovely furnished front rooms, with good meals, in modern home. (7)

WASHINGTON BL., 3837—Room and board; heat, electric, plenty hot water; reasonable; girls. (7)

WATERMAN, 5143A—Room for 1 or 2 people; breakfast optional. (1)

WATERMAN, 5260A—Nicely furnished rooms; excellent board; private family. Forest 8799R. (1)

NORTHWEST

COTE BRILLIANTE, 4762—Room and board for 3 girls; all conveniences; $6. (7)

ROOMS FOR RENT—CITY

ROOM—Large front, in residence, $4 week, young lady employed. Forest 8295W.

CENTRAL

CHOUTEAU, 3501—Two neatly furnished rooms, for light housekeeping; bath, gas; $5 week.

COMPTON, 1120 N.—Furnished room; all conveniences; adults preferred; Apt. 3. (7)

GRAND, 1125 N.—Newly furnished light housekeeping and sleeping rooms.

LOCUST, 3127—Steam heat, running water, baths; 75c day up; $4 week up. (c8)

PINE, 3502—Nicely furnished room; steam heat, hot water. (7)

WASHINGTON, 3416—Rooms, housekeeping; steam heat, hot water continuously.

WASHINGTON, 2835—Furnished rooms; housekeeping, use of piano and sewing machine, laundry; best and cheapest place. (6)

SOUTH

FOLSOM, 4054—4 nice rooms, furnished for housekeeping; bath and gas. (7)

HARTFORD, 3893—Furnished rooms; private residence; all conveniences; gentlemen; references. (1)

LAFAYETTE, 2150—Housekeeping room and kitchenette; range; water in room; also sleeping. (7)

McDONALD, 3611A—Hall room; all conveniences.

MISSISSIPPI, 1740—Connecting rooms for housekeeping; gas, heat, water, $7.

MISSOURI, 1739A—Nicely furnished housekeeping and sleeping rooms; $5 up; heat, phone. (c6)

MISSOURI, 1411—Warm front room; other rooms; opposite Lafayette Park. Grand 924J. (7)

MORRISON, 1009A—Furnished housekeeping rooms, $3.50 week. (7)

NICHOLSON PL., 1777—Nicholson pl. and Geyer av.; 4 nicely furnished housekeeping rooms, 1st floor; all conveniences; private family. (7)

PARK, 3308—Front connecting housekeeping rooms; separate entrance; adults. (7)

PRESTON PL., 1731—Furnished, 2 connecting front rooms; all conveniences; furnace heat; electric light, phone; couple preferred. (6)

RUSSELL, 2631—2 rooms, 2d floor, for gentlemen. Grand 1689W.

RUSSELL, 2724—Warm, well-furnished front room in modern home; $5; smaller room, $4; gentlemen; Bell phone. (7)

SHENANDOAH, 2021A—2 large front rooms furnished for housekeeping; comfortable home. (7)

TENTH, 1110 S.—Comfortable room; newly decorated; nice people; owner. (7)

TWELFTH, 1029 S.—Connecting rooms, 1st floor; housekeeping; gas, laundry; $4.

WHITTEMORE PL., 2344—Rooms for light housekeeping; adults only. (7)

SOUTHWEST

CLIFTON, 3127—Completely furnished front room; in private family; rent reasonable.

WEST

BOYLE, 331 N.—Between Lindell and Maryland; warm room, adjoining bath; very convenient; gentlemen.

DELMAR, 6176A—Neatly furnished large, clean front room; private family.

DELMAR PL., 5262A—Attractive room; steam-heated apartment; gentlemen. Forest 2195W. (6)

DELMAR BL., 5880A—Nicely furnished front room in apartment. Call Cabany 3421R, after 6 p. m. (7)

DELMAR BL., 3970—Large 2d-floor front; refined home; people employed; phone; reasonable. (7)

DELMAR BL., 3723—Neatly furnished room with kitchenette; good heat; continuous hot water.

DELMAR BL., 4419—Rooms, sleeping or housekeeping; single or connecting. Forest 6064R.

DUNCAN, 4354—Rooms, furnished or unfurnished; electric light; heat; reasonable. (1)

EASTON, 5519—5 rooms, 2d floor; $25 per month. (c7)

ENRIGHT, 5822—Single room, private family, for gentleman. Cabany 1572W. (7)

ENRIGHT, 4066—Rooms furnished for light housekeeping; heat, gas, electric; all conveniences. (6)

ENRIGHT, 4225—Clean, private housekeeping rooms, complete; kitchen, clean linens and towels furnished; also garage. Lindell 3305W. (7)

ETZEL, 5594—Pleasant rooms, steam heat, for 1 or 2; private family. (7)

EUCLID, 12A N.—Furnished room; kitchen; steam heat; 1 or 2 girls employed. (7)

FINNEY, 3641—Rooms, single or connecting; sleeping or housekeeping. Lindell 1997.

HAMILTON, 1127 N.—Nicely furnished rooms; housekeeping; all conveniences.

KENSINGTON, 5220A—Warm, well furnished large front room; gentleman only; modern; reasonable. (7)

McPHERSON, 4169—2 newly decorated front rooms for light housekeeping or rent. (1)

NEWBERRY TER., 4545—Connecting rooms, furnished modern, for light housekeeping; warm; reasonable. (7)

OLIVE, 4398—Apt. C; large front room; modern conveniences; reasonable. (6)

OLIVE, 3721—Rooms, sleeping or housekeeping; single or connecting. Lindell 5138.

ROOMS FOR RENT—WEST

PAGE BL., 4929A—Light housekeeping rooms; all conveniences.

ROOM—Clara and Delmar; beautiful front; steam heated apartment. Forest 2024R.

ROOM—Furnished; steam-heated apartment; conveniences; private family; centrally located. Lindell 1528W. (7)

ROOM—Well furnished; modern apartment; West End; private family; lady employed. Cabany 5351W. (67)

ROOM—1st class front room; for gentleman; in new apartment near West Pine and Euclid; $10 week. Forest 8021.

ROOM—Front; for one or two gentlemen employed; board optional. Lindell 7018J. (7)

ROOMS—Nicely furnished, comfortable; modern conveniences; gentlemen; 4100 West on Washington; convenient to 3 car lines. Lindell 4866. (7)

ROOMS—2 neatly furnished, connecting; library, sleeping; all conveniences; references. Forest 3711W. (7)

ROOM—To refined business woman, a large, attractive, well furnished front room in high-class modern apartment; splendid location, central West End; small private family of adults; references exchanged. Box C-326, Post-Dispatch. (7)

WASHINGTON BL., 4368—Nicely furnished rooms; heat and hot water at all times. (7)

WASHINGTON BL., 3720—Large room for housekeeping; hot-water heat; every convenience; reasonable. (7)

WASHINGTON BL., 4007—Room, containing running water; modern refined home. Lindell 6456J. (1)

WASHINGTON BL., 3706—Neatly furnished rooms, steam heat; good board; gentlemen or couple. (7)

WASHINGTON BL., 3963—Front room, refined home; electricity, steam heat; gentlemen. Lindell 6938W. (1)

WASHINGTON BL., 3885—Rooms, sleeping or housekeeping; single or connecting. Lindell 897M.

WASHINGTON BL., 3833—Clean, comfortable room; hot-water heat; gentlemen or couple; references. (6)

WASHINGTON BL., 3733—Lovely room; all conveniences; well heated; also single rooms. (7)

WASHINGTON BL., 3841—Business man's home; single, double rooms; everything new; hot, cold water, shower, tub bath, both phones.

WASHINGTON BL., 4940—2 connecting front rooms, housekeeping or sleeping; also large southern exposed sleeping room; all conveniences. (1)

WESTMINSTER PL., 4043—Well furnished room; first or second floor; well heated.

WEST PINE BL., 3863—2 large connecting front rooms and kitchen, 1st floor.

NORTHWEST

CHATHAM, 6451—2 unfurnished housekeeping rooms.

COTE BRILLIANTE, 4755—Nicely furnished room; all modern conveniences. (6)

MARCUS, 1707—2d floor front room with kitchenette; all conveniences. (1)

ST. LOUIS, 4858—Furnished light housekeeping front room, 2d floor; steam heat; all conveniences; private; clean.

THEODOSIA, 5899—Housekeeping; private entrance; adults; water heat; garage space if desired. (7)

NORTH

ASHLAND, 4250—Two furnished rooms and bath, for light housekeeping; reas. (6)

BLAIR, 2519—Furnished connecting rooms; electric and gas; water in kitchen.

GRAND, 1709 N.—2 rooms, furnished complete, housekeeping; heat, modern, clean, electric. (7)

THIRTEENTH, 1911 N.—Rooms for light housekeeping; $4 week; no children. (1)

TWENTY-FIRST, 2716 N.—Single and connecting rooms for housekeeping; enlarging my house. (1)

ROOMS WANTED

ROOM Wtd.—Comfortably furnished; with kitchenette, in private family; in West End; by young couple. Room 521 Majestic Hotel. (7)

ROOMS Wtd.—3 unfurnished, clean housekeeping rooms, 3 adults, Fairground Park district preferred; by Dec. 20. Box T-297, Post-Dispatch. (69)

ROOMS AND BOARD WANTED

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—By refined young lady employed; in select location; use of piano; state full particulars. Box F-99, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMMATES WANTED

BUSINESS WOMAN—To share steam-heated apartment with business woman; references exchanged. Box T-375, P.-D.

ROOMMATE Wtd.—Young lady, modern apartment; twin beds; meals; private. 4256 Lindell bl. (7)

HOTELS

ALCAZAR HOTEL—3127 Locust; steam heat, running water; 75c day up; $4 week up. (c8)

IDEAL HOTEL—2800 Locust; rooms; running water; free phone; $1 day, $3 week. (c8)

PARKHURST HOTEL, 228 N. Taylor; Maryland-Olive car line; suite of 2 rooms and bath; also single room. Forest 6580. (c1)

BUCKINGHAM ANNEX
Kingshighway and West Pine

Special rates for permanent guests. Forest 1080. (c100)

KINGSDALE HOTEL

5017 Delmar bl., large, modern rooms; attractive permanent rates. Forest 1538. (c7)

LINDELL PLAZA HOTEL

4300 Lindell bl.; a few desirable rooms available for visitors at the newest hotel in the West End; daily or weekly rates. Lindell 6810. (c8)

HOUSES, FLATS, ETC

Solid agate, 25c line out-of-town orders 25c. Daily or Sunday. Minimum two lines. Three or more insertions 1c per line discount.

APARTMENTS FOR RENT

SOUTH

CLEVELAND, 4056-60—5 rooms; splendid condition; sleeping porch, with in-a-dor bed.
GEO. W. OTTENAD REALTY CO., 808 Chestnut st., Room 206. (c6)

LAFAYETTE, 3866—Apartment, 5 rooms, sun parlor; rent reasonable. L. WILLIAMS, Agt., 810 Chestnut st. (c7)

MAGNOLIA, 3935—6-room apartment; janitor service and garage; newly decorated; open. Call Victor 1989L. (c7)

WEST

ALAMO, 7131—Hi-Pointe; new building; 6 rooms; beautifully decorated; tile bath, steam heat; janitor service. C. S. ZATLIN, Central 4985 or Delmar 4068R. (c8)

APARTMENT—5 rooms, bath, steam, hot water, janitor service; references; open. Forest 6834.

CABANNE, 5375 (1st floor); 6-room apartment; nicely decorated; open; in Soldan School district.
EUGENE J. ALTHEIMER, 817 Chestnut st. (c6)

HAMILTON, 750 N.—4 rooms, tile bath, hardwood floors, steam heat, janitor service; near Delmar bl.; $65 month.
CLYDE C. KETCHAM, 206 Intl. Life Bldg. (c4)

HODIAMONT, 1289—3 rooms and bath; hot water, furnace, gas and electric; modern; newly decorated; janitor service; $40 per month. Call Forest 1490. (c7)

PERSHING, 5630 — Pettingill Apartment, corner apartment; recently redecorated; $65 month, including heat, gas, electricity. Apply at apartment. (c8)

WASHINGTON BL., 5925—6 rooms, third floor, sleeping porch; heat, janitor.
BOTTORFF REALTY CO., 4914 Delmar bl. (c7)

WASHINGTON BL., 4432—Desirable 2d-floor southern exposed 5-room efficiency; 2 Murphy beds, ice, bath and electricity; $92 per month. Forest 5952. (c6)

RANELAGH APARTMENT
5707 McPherson; 6-room efficiency; desirable corners at reduced prices. See manager. Cabany 703. (c61)

APARTMENTS FOR RENT —FURNISHED

SOUTH

MISSOURI, 1739A—Beautifully furnished 3-room apartment, lower floor; everything furnished, $65; children permitted. (c6)

MISSOURI, 1739A—Five-room apartment, completely furnished; heat, light, gas furnished; $100. (c7)

WEST

FURNISHED APARTMENT—5th floor St. Regis, center court. Forest 5380. (6)

FURNISHED APARTMENT — Completely furnished; 4 rooms; near Cabanne Library; Murphy beds. Forest 6272. (1)

OLIVE, 4013—2 connecting rooms, housekeeping, 2d floor; very reasonable to responsible party. (c7)

FLATS FOR RENT

CENTRAL

BIDDLE, 2300—4 rooms and bath. Bomont 3136. (c7)

SOUTH

BLAINE, 4125—3 rooms, bath, for adults only; rent $28. Victor 1855R. (c)

BLAINE, 3630—3 unfurnished rooms, 2d floor of residence; heat, electricity, gas, bath; no children; $40. Grand 1339J. (c7)

EADS, 3007—Modern 4-room flat. (c7)

FLAT—Three rooms and office. Jefferson and Gravois. (c7)

FLAT—Modern; 6-room; hot-water heat; garage; South Side; adults only. Box K-290, Post-Dispatch. (c7)

McREE, 4057A—3 rooms, bath, electric, furnace; $35; open. (c)

SHENANDOAH, 3805A—5-room flat; modern; rent reasonable. See L. WILLIAMS, Agt., 810 Chestnut st. (c7)

WEST

FINNEY, 4472A—5 rooms, bath, electric, garage; adults; rent $47. (c7)

McMILLAN, 4605A—Newly decorated; 6 rooms, $55. Cabany 2314R. (c7)

SHAWMUT PL., 1322A—6 rooms, modern; perfect condition; steam heating plant; rent $60. Call Cabany 2213W. (c91)

SUBURBAN, 6347—1st floor; good condition; 3 large rooms; bath, electric, etc. (c67)

1354A SHAWMUT PLACE
Corner flat; 5 rooms, reception hall, tile bath, steam heat and janitor service.
GIRALDIN BROS. R. E. CO., 813 Chestnut. (c8)

NORTH

COLEMAN, 1917—3 rooms, 2d floor; gas and electricity; $16. (c91)

MADISON, 1218—4 rooms; electric; $18. (1)

FERRY, 1408A—4-room flat; bath, electric. (c7)

THRUSH, 5417—3 unfurnished rooms, 2d floor of residence; reasonable. (c1)

FLATS FOR RENT—FURNISHED

WEST

DELMAR BL., 4369—3 or 4 room furnished flat; bath; phone; heat furnished. (c7)

FURNISHED FLAT—Elegantly furnished, 4 rooms; gas, electric, bath; $11 per week. Apply 4431 Easton. (c)

FURNISHED FLAT—Neatly furnished 3-room; gas, electric; rear; stove heat; $6 per week. Apply 4431A Easton. (c7)

KENSINGTON PL., 4569A—Furnished flat, 2 or 3 rooms; complete home; steam heat; every convenience. (c)

NORTHWEST

VINE GROVE, 3124—Furnished flat; four rooms, bath, furnace, electric; hot water; $45. (7)

DWELLINGS FOR RENT

WEST

BUNGALOW—For lease, beautiful 7-room brick bungalow with 2 additional sun parlors, steam heat, coal in basement; modern in every respect; garage and chicken house; will rent furnishings, including player-piano and graphaphone; 7733 Suffolk av., Webster. Call Benton 1512W. (7)

HOUSE—Beautiful, 14-room; 2-story; garage $150. Box F-160, Post-Dispatch.

FLATS AND APT'S WANTED

FURNISHED FLATS & APT'S WTD.

FURNISHED APARTMENT Wtd.—Or flat, or bungalow, in city or county; best references. Box C-195, Post-Dispatch. (6)

HOUSES WANTED

HOUSE Wtd.—To rent, 4, 5 or 6 room house or flat, in Hyde Park district. Central 9059L. (6)

FURNISHED HOUSES WANTED

FLAT OR HOUSE Wtd.—5, 6 or 7 rooms; completely furnished; immediate possession; must be modern; in good location; no efficiency apartment. Phone Warwick Hotel, ask for Laidlaw. (1)

SUBURBAN PROP'TY FOR RENT

ROOMS—Three, upstairs; water and gas; corner Military and Weiss, St. Louis County. (c7)

HOUSES, FLATS, ETC. FOR RENT FOR COLORED

COOK, 4302—9 rooms, bath, $55. G. B. & J. M. O'REILLY, 723 Chestnut st. (c*78)

LUCAS, 2714—7 rooms and bath; call after 4 p. m.; rent $30. (c*7)

SECOND, 507 S.—13-room building; will rent rooms separately at $1 per room. KOTSREAN, 722 Chestnut. (c*1)

SPRING, 919A S.—2d floor, 4 rooms and electricity; $22.50. Eugene J. Altheimer, 817 Chestnut st. (c*8)

GARAGES, STABLES WANTED

GARAGE Wtd.—In neighborhood of 2800 block on Olive. Bomont 1687W. (c)

TO LET—BUSINESS PURPOSES

CENTRAL

DESK SPACE—Including heat, light and phone service; reasonable. Room 202, Advertising Bldg., 1627 Locust. (c7)

GARAGE—Room for 25 cars; $5 per month; steam heat. Bomont 620. (6)

Strong Warehouse, 7th St.

816 N. 7th st., adjoining engine house; slow combustion, high ceilings, built to carry heavy weight. For lease or sell for $60,000.
JOHN GRETHER & CO., 811 Int. Life Bldg. (c6)

OFFICE—LARGE, WELL LIGHTED, FACING OLIVE ST., SUITABLE FOR ANY KIND OF BUSINESS; FREE PHONE. CALL OLIVE 3065. (c7)

HODIAMONT, 1454—Fine new store, equipped with Clow gas steam radiators; modern plumbing. For lease, two years or longer, at $60 per month.
CHAS. E. RICHARDSON, 1005 Arcade Bldg. (c6)

WEST

STORE SPACE—60x20 ft; 612 N. Vandeventer. (c)

WANTED—BUSINESS PURPOSES

BUILDING Wtd.—Suitable for auto repair and garage; centrally located if possible. Box C-196, Post-Dispatch. (6)

FLOOR SPACE Wtd.—To rent, 3500 sq. ft., for warehouse purposes; east of Grand av. Phone Olive 2599. (c7)

REAL ESTATE

Solid agate, 25c line. Out-of-town orders 25c. Daily or Sunday. Minimum two lines. Three or more insertions 1c per line discount.

REAL ESTATE FOR EXCHANGE

BUNGALOWS—Have several new 4-room brick bungalows, southwest; will take good building lot as part pay, balance easy terms. Box K-278, Post-Dispatch. (c1)

282 ACRES
FAMOUS ROGUE RIVER VALLEY
CLEAR OF INCUMBRANCE,
OFFERED FOR KANSAS CITY
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282 acres splendid land in famous Rogue River Valley of Southern Oregon; 1½ miles from Merlin, 6 miles from Grant's Pass; about 50 acres in fruit, mostly pears, which will come into bearing next year; at the prevailing prices this land is worth $47,500; my sacrifice price, $30,000, clear of incumbrance; any reasonable terms, or will exchange for Kansas City or nearby property. MUNGER, 909 Baltimore av., Kansas City, Mo. (c2)

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H.-B. CAN SELL IT
We have buyers for your real estate. List it with us and get quick results.
HOLBROOK-BLACKWELDER, 812 Chestnut. (c61)

FLATS, APARTMENTS WANTED

FLAT Wtd.—Modern double; state size, price and full particulars. Box B-363, Post-Dispatch. (c7)

FARMS FOR SALE

FARMS—From a poor man's hovel to a rich man's paradise. S. G. Denny, 1200 McCausland. (7)

FARM—137 acres; well improved; only 45 miles west of city for the small amount of $2250. S. G. Denny, 1200 McCausland. (7)

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MAPLEWOOD

$80 Down, Balance Monthly

and Own Your Home Clear of Debt in Exactly Nine Years.

Five-room and sun parlor bungalow, 3027 Bartold av., Maplewood; lot 40x225; just completed; you will have to hurry if you want one of these bungalows. Take Meramec Highlands car to Bartold av. Salesman on premises from 2 to 5 o'clock Saturday and Sunday afternoons.
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RICHMOND HEIGHTS

New Bungalow
SUPERB LOCATION

Best construction, 6 large, light rooms, fine closets, built-in tubs, tile baths, large sleeping porch, fine porch off kitchen, garage, everything complete, ready to occupy; price only $8500. 1716 Bellevue, Richmond Heights.
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TREMBLEY-WILSON R. E. & I. CO. Get our list of Webster and Kirkwood property.

WRITE for map of Webster and our sales list of homes priced from $1500 to $45,000. WEBSTER GROVES TRUST CO., Agt. (c8)

BUNGALOWS AND COTTAGES FOR SALE

SOUTHWEST

BUNGALOW—5624 Devonshire; 4 large rooms, modern; sacrifice; come out and make proposition.

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BUNGALOW—Why pay rent when you can buy beautiful 6-room bungalow, tile bath, hardwood floors, everything you could wish for in a lovely home? You can buy this home on very reasonable terms. 33-ft. lot. 4912 Sutherland av., Southampton. (c7)

HOUSE—4-room; lot 47½x165; price $1200. 6147 Elizabeth, rear. (35)

SEE those modern 5 and 6 room brick bungalows just completed, with every convenience; 5240-48-52 Lansdowne av.; easy terms; at a reduced price. (c1)

Ready for Occupancy
7025 BRUNO AV.

New 6-room bungalow; fine, large living room, built-in bookcases and fireplace, tile bath, hardwood floors throughout; modern in every detail.
CHAS. E. RICHARDSON, 1005 Arcade Bldg. (c6)

FLATS, APARTMENTS, FOR SALE

SOUTH

SINGLE FLAT, $750 CASH

Balance monthly; 3609 S. Jefferson av., four and five rooms and baths.
ANDERSON-STOCKE-BUERMANN, 808 Chestnut st.

WEST

FLAT—Double, at a bargain, from owner; only $2500 needed; possession of one suite at once. See owner, 4646 Evans. (c91)

NORTHWEST

APARTMENT—Two-story, of 4 and 4 rooms and garage; 4750 Ashland av.; cheap if sold at once. 4750 Ashland. (c7)

RESIDENCES FOR SALE

SOUTH

LAFAYETTE PARK RESIDENCE
$4000, ONLY $450 CASH
1809 La Salle; 8 rooms, steam heat, bath, electric; newly decorated and in perfect condition; vacant. Open Saturday and Sunday afternoon.
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HOME—Stop paying rent; nice 4-room brick, shades, screens, fixtures, sleeping porch, furnace, tile bath, Murphy in-a-dor bed, closet; easy terms, and at a reduced price. C. Richardson, 5201 Nottingham av., Southampton. Riverside 296W. (c3)

BUSINESS PROPERTY FOR SALE

WEST

GARAGE FOR SALE
One of the best garage buildings on Dedmar av.; fine location; good business; immediate possession.
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Solid agate, 25c line. Out-of-town orders Daily, 25c; Sunday, 30c line. Minimum 2 lines. Three or more insertions 1c per line discount.

FINANCIAL

BROKER WANTED.
Brokerage house, with sales force, to handle underwriting dividend paying oil company which has maintained dividends quarterly since organization; 61 wells, Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas; large holdings, including Canada. Apply 817 Harris Trust Bldg., Chicago, Ill. (7)

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ALL automobile loans while using; mortgages paid, bought; second loans. 2340A Olive st. (8)

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Legal rate, complying with State law; easy payments. Call or write MUNICIPAL LOAN, 401 Benoist Bldg., 9th and Pine. (c55x)

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$10 TO $100.
Easy payment plan. Confidential dealings.
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CAPITAL LOAN & INVESTMENT CO., ROOM 1509 CHEMICAL BLDG., 8TH AND OLIVE STS. PHONE OLIVE 8566. (c8)

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LIBERTY BONDS bought at market value, or will loan par value, less 4 per cent, by repaying $1 a week on each $50 borrowed. Industrial Loan Co., 714-16 Chestnut. (c8)

Woman Denies Taking Poison.

Mrs. Stella Rugger, 33 years old, was taken from her home, 1026 South Eighth street, yesterday, after Dorothy Flannery of the same address had told the police Mrs. Rugger had taken poison tablets dissolved in water. Doctors at the hospital said Mrs. Rugger was suffering from poison. She denied having taken anything. She told the police that her husband, John Rugger, of 1909 McNair avenue, had obtained a divorce in the forenoon and asked that he be notified of her whereabouts. A bottle containing one poison tablet was found in the house.

Announcing

Our Annual Xmas Sale of Silks

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NEW BRITISH OFFER IS PLACED BEFORE CABINET AT DUBLIN

Little Optimism Evident as Members of the Dail Eireann Government Meet to Consider Settlement.

By the Associated Press.

DUBLIN, Dec. 3.—Members of the Dail Eireann Cabinet assembled today to consider the British Government's latest proposals for an Irish peace settlement. There is little optimism as to its decision, and the Sinn Fein peace delegates, who have returned from London, are reported as believing the revised terms will be unacceptable to Eamonn de Valera and his advisers.

The exact nature of the proposals is not known, but they are said to be based on an all-Ireland parliamentary Government, one of the strong points for which the Sinn Fein has been holding out. Ulster, it is understood, would be required to remain in this parliament at least six months, when she could withdraw at her option.

In case of withdrawal, Ulster's boundaries as a separate Government would be defined by a commission and she would be restricted to the powers she enjoys at present, while the south of Ireland would be granted fiscal freedom.

One version of the new terms is that they deal with the Sinn Fein's objection to swearing allegiance to the Crown by providing that allegiance be sworn to the Irish free state, the commonwealth of nations knownas the British Empire and to the King as head of that community of nations.

In the event the new terms are unacceptable to the Dail Cabinet, it is believed the Sinn Fein delegates have been asked to present a proposal on behalf of the British Government for a postponement of the negotiations not only to allow for a possible adjustment of views, but to permit Premier Lloyd George to make a brief visit to the Washington conference.

Continuance of the truce is said to have been a consideration in preparing this alternative.

Griffith to Return to London Sunday With Irish Reply.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LONDON, Dec. 3.—The British Government's new offer of peace, presented to the Sinn Fein today for consideration by the Dail Cabinet, has been framed along the lines already predicted.

It proposes a dominion status for Southern Ireland and a boundary commission to fix the limits of Armagh and Tyrone, where there are Sinn Fein majorities. The rest of Northeast Ulster would be left under the partition act.

The Sinn Fein delegation has returned to Dublin, but at Sinn Fein headquarters here it is said Arthur Griffith will return with the Irish reply on Sunday. Nothing is said about any others coming back.

There is no more belief expressed now than heretofore that the new scheme will be accepted by Southern Ireland. Even if it were, there is no reason to suppose the Orangemen would accept their position under it. The alterations made at the eleventh hour by Premier Lloyd George are said to have been of minor importance.

At the last meeting with the Sinn Fein delegates discussion centered largely on the allegiance question and it is understood no formula was found satisfactory to both parties. The Sinn Fein position all along has been that if a united Ireland was assured, allegiance could be arranged. But instead of a united Ireland, they say they are offered partition, with Ulster strongly intrenched behind its veto against unity.

Sinn Feiners also say the action of Crown forces in certain parts of Ireland makes preservation of the truce increasingly difficult. Exasperation among relatives of interned men is also a danger to the truce, it is said, because, now that negotiations are suspended, hope of their release has been dissipated.

It is charged that Gen. Tudor, chief of the Black and Tans, acts quite independently of his Government and nullifies promises made in Downing street.

Refusal by the Sinn Fein majority in the Tyrone County Council to recognize the Belfast Parliament was followed yesterday by seizure of the county hall by Orange police. This is an omen of trouble for the northern Parliament in the Sinn Fein counties under its jurisdiction and may easily develop into serious outbreaks.

Irish Delegates on Steamer That Turns Back After Accident.

By the Associated Press.

BELFAST, Dec. 3.—Three members of the Sinn Fein peace delegation, bound for Dublin, had to return to England today when the steamer Cambria, on which they were traveling, collided with a schooner soon after leaving Holyhead, England. The schooner was sunk and three of her crew drowned. The Cambria returned to Holyhead damaged.

The Irish delegates on board were Michael Collins, Sinn Fein Minister of Finance; George Gavan Duffy and Erskine Childers. They were on their way from London after the recent conferences with Prime Minister Lloyd George and his advisers and had been expected to take part in today's consideration by the Dail Eireann authorities of the British Government's latest proposals for a peace settlement.

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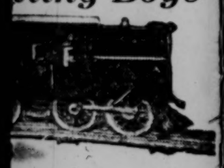
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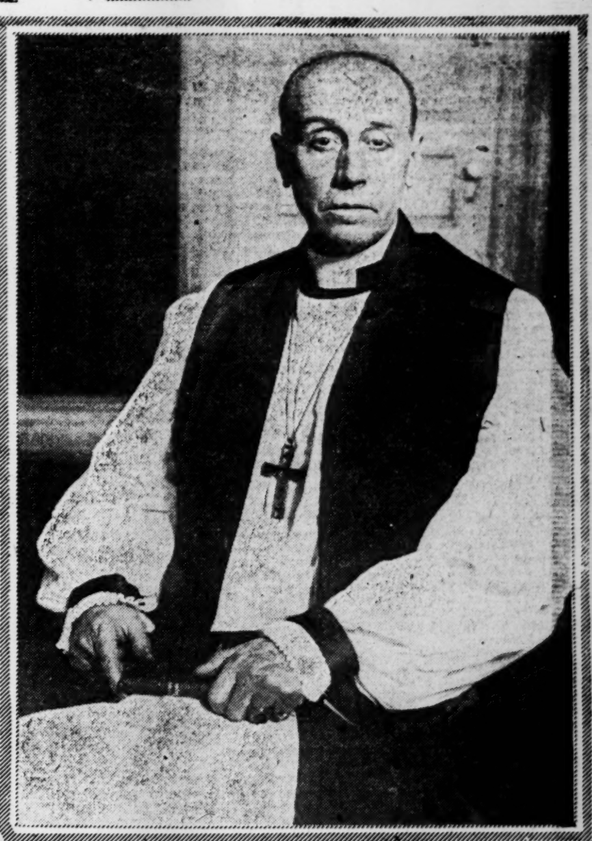
Popular Fiction and Women's Features
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1921.



Mrs. James Stillman at the re-opening of her divorce hearing last Tuesday.
—International Photograph.



Succeeds to Cardinal-Archbishop Gibbons' See at Baltimore. The Most Rev. Michael J. Curley (in the center) at the ceremony of his installation.
—Underwood & Underwood Photograph.



Consecrated Suffragan Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of New York by Bishop Tuttle of St. Louis: Bishop Herbert Shipman.
—International Photograph.



Miss Carmen Aguinaldo, daughter of the Filipino patriot, receiving a graduation token from the South Brooklyn Board of Trade after completing a course in the Brooklyn Manual Training High School. Miss Aguinaldo, who has taken course in many American colleges, plans to return home soon.
—International Photograph.



Miss E. F. Kempthorne, head of the Camp Fire Girls of England, comes to visit American camps.



Elected president of Congressional Club at Washington, composed of wives of members of the Senate and House: Mrs. Irving L. Lenroot, wife of Senator Lenroot of Wisconsin.
—International Photograph.



Miss Edwina Ashley, granddaughter of the late Sir Ernest Cassell, and England's richest heiress, who is engaged to Lord Louis of Mountbatten, brother of the Queen of Spain. Lord Louis is in India with the Prince of Wales.
—International Photograph



Change your shoe heel to suit your journey, ladies. The six heels supplied with this new English invention are from one and one-half to eight inches in height.
—Wide World Photograph.



Miss Marian Irwin, daughter of Robert Walker Irwin, former American Minister to Japan, attends Armament Congress. Her father married a Japanese lady while he was Minister, so that she is half Japanese and half American.
—Underwood & Underwood Photograph.

The Modern Girl Arises to Defend Self From Critics

GIRLS MISUNDERSTOOD, SAYS STUDENT.

Editor of the Woman's Page.

The modern girl has been smiled on, cried over, scorned, praised, degraded, idealized, honored, tested, detested, misunderstood, discussed and battered beyond recognition, but her dauntless fear and courage goes on.

This product of today has been produced by man's desires and wants. She is his pal, she golfs with him, swims and skates, she is his pal in all things.

She has a soul, but is modest about it, not like the last generation, writing love sonnets to their "soulmates." To those who know her intimately her soul is big, generous, charitable, unselfish and loving.

She does believe in God and her religion; furthermore she believes in herself and in the other fellow. She knows she has as much right to health and happiness as anyone. She knows there's no such thing as luck, that one has to honestly earn all they enjoy.

How many young girls do you see in the doctors' waiting rooms? They don't rush to the M. D. to know how to five or to the D. D. to know how to die or—to the B. A. D. for their happiness.

She gives the other fellow the benefit of the doubt; she asks no odds. Faithfully and with singing heart she contributes her small share to the nervous trembling system of the business world.

In love she gives and invites eternal faith and keeps the sacred trust of motherhood. She holds aloft the lantern of faith with far-seeing wisdom, to help light the confusion of a world stumbling into uncharted paths opened by the war.

Constantly reminding her of her faults is folly. So why not "put the best construction on everything?" Just step aside and watch YOURSELF go by.

Think of yourself as "SHE" instead of "I."
The faults of her then will dwarf and shrink,
When you with "she" as substitute for "I,"
Have stood aside and watched YOURSELF go by.

I have just graduated from a local high school and am still a student, and have "been around a bit," but I can see no evil in this charming creature of today, typifying the beauty, the glory and the aspiration of the moment.

ESTHER G. ALLMEYER.

MORE DEFENSE FOR THE GIRLS.

Editor of the Woman's Page.

I would like to give my version on one of the most discussed topics of the day, namely, "The Modern American Girl." I am 18 and have many acquaintances of my age, but of all of these not one measures up to, or, rather, comes down to, the low standard Elinor Glyn maintains to be characteristic of our girls. First, let it be understood that our girls are not nearly as brazen and aggressive as some people would have us believe. Each new generation shocks its predecessor and, of course, it is only natural for us to do the same. The war has made quite a difference; girls are more self-reliant because of being forced to handle most any situation while the flower of our manhood was away. But the modern girl is as lovable as always, more beautiful than ever, and best able to become the mothers of our coming generation. Morally, our young girls live up to the highest standards, and are not any different than our mothers and grandmothers. Elinor Glyn is wrong to take us to task for moral laxness, for every girl has had a glimpse of life because of the war and this has made them better women. The modern girl is not free with her caresses, and is as willing to settle down, as was her parents, but she exacts more, having reached a higher stage than did her ancestors.

As for cosmetics, girls have used aids to beauty for time immemorable. It is only natural, when man demands so much. As for cigarettes, granted that it be true our girls smoke, they should not be condemned for a habit that war originated while they were serving overseas as nurses. It is true that while the girls were "over there" some being under a constant nervous strain, resorted to cigarettes. But it is not true that this habit predominates now. Our girls are effeminate enough to recoil from this.

As to the abandoning of corsets; when worn they were deplored. Eminent persons and prominent physicians said that our bodies were thrown out of position and our ligaments crushed and bruised, and they predicted that in time we would be deformed and the coming race one of degenerates. Now the absence of the corset is deplored.

Our grandmothers were coquettes, our mothers flirts and the name has changed with the times, so we are vampires. I do not resent this, but I do think it uncalled for, for Miss Glyn to liken us to leeches. Our girls are as self-sacrificing as any, perhaps more so.

It is ridiculous to say that our young men demand higher standards than our girls, for when a girl does fall beneath good moral standards it is because some man has showed his preference for baseness.

Elinor Glyn says that our young girls would favor free love readily.

No American girl would be pleased were free love permitted, for this is a Bolshevik idea and we are lovers of democracy. As for drug addicts, this is rare in our country. Of course, I answer for the American girl only. Our girls do like sweets, and at one time they were censured for even this. Figures were published showing that a baby could be kept in nourishment for a goodly length of time on the money spent by one girl for ice cream and sodas.

As for immoral dancing, girls do not introduce these dances. It is the men, and they must either dance as the men do or not at all, for men happen to be the leaders in this recreation. I contend that one can please all of the people some of the time, some of the people all of the time, but one can't please all of the people all of the time.

HELEN BECKER.

THE RICH GIRLS GIVEN THE BLAME.

Editor of the Woman's Page.

Elinor Glyn is doing a great harm to most of the American girls whom she charges are the types of girls which she claims are vampires, etc.

For instance, who is more greedy than the rich girl; the more money they get the more they want. That's why there are so many divorce cases; they marry for money and in a couple of months or a year, get divorced on account of some little disagreement.

Who checks her corset at a dance—the rich girl. The middle class girl knows that if she has to check her corset she does not wear one and if she wears a corset, she keeps it on. Wherever the middle class girl goes to dance, she is not allowed to smoke or do anything she pleases, whereas the rich girls are allowed to do whatever they want, because they are so spoiled with money and beautiful clothes. Furthermore, the middle class girl doesn't wear low-cut evening gowns and show everything the Lord gave her. Who wastes more time and money and always has liquor?—the rich people.

There you are—everything that Elinor Glyn mentioned about the American girls, points directly to the rich girls. They always start the fads and styles and, of course, the middle class girl follows them and in the end they get the blame for being immodest, etc.

Now, I hope that Elinor Glyn will reconsider the opinion she has about the American girls (without including the rich) and she will find out that everything from smoking up, occurs wherever some rich people gather and that the middle class girl is all innocent of this. Of course, I'll admit that there are some who do these things, but there is not one dancing academy in St. Louis that allows the girls to smoke in public, drink and do whatever they please. If the people in this world would mind their own business and not take interest in every silly thing they hear or see, we would have a wonderful nation, and if most of them wouldn't be so greedy, there wouldn't be so many divorce cases

—NO SIGNATURE.

A "SUB-DEB" EXPRESSES VIEWS.

Editor of the Woman's Page.

I shall come to the defense of the American girls. I do not believe entirely what Elinor Glyn says. I am 18 and go about with the "sub-debs." I think it is the men who lower the morals and not the girls. The men are usually "stewed" when they go to dances. The girls do not drink. None of my girl friends give their kisses lightly to one after another. About a month ago I met a man who is supposed to be very well liked. I went out with him, and nothing should do, I had to kiss him! This is what he thought and I refused. I have gone out with him when he has taken other girls. I mean, four of us went out, and he tried the same thing, none of the girls let him. I certainly don't think that all girls kiss any man that comes along. I've never heard of any of the girls or debutantes "check their corsets." I think she (Elinor Glyn) is all wrong or perhaps there are some people like it, but where? I have never heard of them or known of them. Where do they exist, in names? I will say that girls rouge, but what of it? The women of the olden times used to powder their hair or wear wigs and many of the things just as bad. I don't use it myself as I don't need it. I don't know of anything nicer than taking all day hikes and horseback and tennis and golf when the weather permits. Perhaps I'm innocent of it all, but I thought all girls liked those sort of things. I certainly know many girls and I know that none are anything like what she says. I hope you won't mind me telling you "what I think," because I'm sure they're not like that.

"SUB-DEB."

AMERICAN GIRLS SURPASS ENGLISH.

Editor of the Woman's Page.

On the same page with Elinor Glyn's indictments of the American girl was a very interesting article, "Grand Old Lady of Japan Comes to U. S. at 89." In this article she praises the American women. Extracts: "We feel that the American women are the most wonderful women in the world." She said she felt she must come to America to thank the American women for revealing to the Oriental woman the dignity of womanhood. Which sounds the more sensible, the praise of this great worker or Elinor Glyn's narrow-minded criticism?

Evidently Mrs. Glyn's acquaintances are limited to the movie world. The modern girl she describes is a typical actress such as she portrays in her "Three Weeks." Why don't she meet some real American girls? They will not be found at a movie studio. If Mrs. Glyn wants to criticise the American people, why not talk about her own associates and something she is more familiar with than the modern girl?

Mrs. Glyn, you see that your own English girls do not waste money, smoke cigarettes and be vampires and the American girl will take care of herself and defy your unjust indictments. The average American girl does not have enough money to waste. Society women and movie actresses are the principal ones that smoke cigarettes. Women are just becoming educated to the fact that it is better for their health to eliminate the corset. I am a modern girl. I do not do any of the above. I use rouge, enjoy all kinds of amusements and like new sensations and know my friend knows "she will be a good pal."

You may be deucedly clever, don't cha know. But you are all wrong when it comes to the modern girl. We will hold up our standard and guarantee you it will be far superior to your English womanhood any day.

MODERN GIRL.

Uncommon Sense

By JOHN BLAKE

Inside and Out.

MEN and women invoke the aid of barbers, beauty doctors, tailors, dressmakers, even surgeons, in an almost futile effort to alter their outward appearance.

On this effort, whose success would be really unimportant, they spend millions of dollars every day.

This money is not wasted. Appearance counts for a great deal. A well-dressed, clean-shaven man has a better chance of securing a good position than a slovenly, ill-clad man.

The straightening of a pair of cross-eyes, the improvement of a bad set of teeth, is worth the considerable sum of money that it costs.

Yet we really cannot change our outward appearance a great deal.

So alike are we in features that at best we can make but insignificant modifications.

To a Caucasian, all Chinese look very much alike. A Chinese regards all Caucasians as cast in the same mold.

The money we spend on exterior improvements, while well spent, does not accomplish as much as we would wish—else all of us would be handsome.

This brings us to interior differences, which are of vastly greater importance, and capable of far greater changes.

It is what is inside of your head that keeps your position, once your good looks or good manners have secured it.

It is the difference in the unseen recesses of your brain that brings you promotion or fortune or security or independence, which the far better looking man at the next desk will never enjoy.

It is something unseen inside of the head of the boss that is different from something equally unseen inside the head of the employe that makes one a boss and the other an employe.

And these are differences that expenditures of time and effort, which are the equivalent of money, can change prodigiously.

Continue to do all you can to better your outward appearance—to make as little as possible the exterior difference between you and the Adonis or the Venus whom you admire.

At the same time toil with even more diligence to make less noticeable the inside difference between you and the man who is making twice as much money, or becoming twice as distinguished in his profession or business.

The inside of your head is something you can change, and change vastly for the better. Give your best efforts to that. For it is what is behind your forehead that is going to win for you in the end.

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The Love Cowards

By HAZEL DEYO BATCHELOR

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Through disappointment in the man to whom she was engaged, Nancy Hathaway becomes a love coward. In order to hide herself away she becomes governess to a little child in a lonely house on the Massachusetts coast and there discovers that Bruce Henderson, little Trix's uncle, is also a love coward due to the fact that on the night before his marriage to Trix's mother she eloped with his younger brother, Hollins. For that reason Bruce hates the child and his treatment of her has caused a highly nervous state, which Nancy attempts to rectify. Her interference causes trouble with Bruce, who, in order to get her out of the house, seizes her in his arms one night. To her horror Nancy cannot forget that moment, nor hate him as she should. The removal of Trix from her care causes her to attempt a desperate rescue of the child, which fails. Dr. Hunt, on whom Nancy has called for help, arrives at a crucial moment and after attending to Trix tells Nancy of his love. Bruce interrupts the scene, and Nancy, hardly knowing what she is doing, accepts Anthony Hunt's offer.

CHAPTER XLV.
Facing the Future.

IT SEEMED hours afterward when Nancy, locked safely in the room with Trix, reviewed what had happened.

Dr. Hunt's calm announcement and her acceptance of it had definitely settled matters, and yet she had never been so desperately unhappy as she was at that moment. Tired as she was, her brain seemed to work tirelessly on and on, and the brief satisfaction that had been hers when Bruce for a moment had been startled out of his iron reserve had entirely vanished.

She had promised to marry Anthony Hunt, when every drop of blood in her cried out for another man. She tried to conjure up the doctor's face, his kind blue eyes, everything about him that should have awakened a response in her, but instead she saw only mocking dark eyes, an arrogant mouth which wore a perpetual sneer, and felt again the thrill of his arms around her, and the insistency of his lips seeking hers.

Well, it was over! And at least where Trix was concerned things looked brighter. She had done that much anyway by coming to this lonely spot and she had learned to love Trix very dearly. But what a strange hand life had dealt her. She had fancied herself hurt by Alvin Reed's delinquencies, but she hadn't known then what love really was. Love excused everything, it persisted in spite of reason, it was a thing that could hurt and scar and burn, and she hadn't known anything about it until Bruce Henderson had come into her life. Alvin Reed had caught her girlish fancy, nothing more; she might have married him and never known herself capable of any deeper feeling, just as she would go through life now married to Anthony Hunt, but at least she would have the satisfaction of knowing that Bruce should never suspect the truth.

Nancy cried quietly far into the night, lying close beside little Trix, one arm thrown protectingly over the child. At last she fell into a deep, troubled sleep, from which she was wakened by Trix early the next morning.

Thanks to Nancy's presence of mind, Trix remembered most of what had happened as a bad dream. She remembered, of course, that her uncle had taken her downstairs, but Nancy's presence there beside her and the bright morning sunshine helped to steady her nerves, although she was weak, her heart beat tumultuously and two spots of scarlet burned in her cheeks when she tried to tell Nancy how frightened she had been.

"But you mustn't think about it," Nancy commanded. "It's all over now, and I kept my promise and came to you, didn't I? I have a nice surprise for you, too. You're going away from here to a nice, warm place, where the sun shines all the while. Won't that be nice?"

"Who's going to take me away?" Trix asked quickly.

"Your aunt."

"And you'll be there?" Trix queried anxiously. "O, you must be there; you won't leave me now; you promised." Fear had crept back into her voice and Nancy was fearful of exciting her. She wondered how this new problem would be managed, for Trix wasn't the kind of child to be easily deceived, and it was out of the question to worry her with anything for the present.

"We'll see," Nancy said brightly; "wait until after the doctor comes to see you. He's coming right after breakfast; you'll like that, won't you?"

Trix nodded and was silent. She lay on the pillows watching Nancy as she flitted to and from the bathroom, as she caught up her flaming hair and wound it around her head. There was utter trust in the child's eyes. Miss Nancy always did what was right, and Trix was content to wait.

CHAPTER XLVI.
"You Must Be Sure."

BERTHA herself brought breakfast on a tray for Nancy and Trix, and afterward Nancy carried the child upstairs to her own room. She felt better after that much was accomplished, for the knowledge that Bruce was in the next room was somehow disturbing. Over and over in her mind Nancy had turned the happenings of last night, and she dreaded meeting Dr. Hunt. What would he do? Would he accept as his due the privilege of a lover and take her in his arms? Nancy could not repress a shudder as she thought of that. If only he would give her time to become accustomed to the new state of affairs.

But she need not have worried, for when Anthony Hunt arrived at 11 o'clock he made no attempt to touch Nancy. His blue eyes were as steady as ever, there was no remotest hint of passion in their depths, and his clasp of her hand was comradely, nothing more. Nancy breathed a sigh of relief and wished again that she could love him. But she knew that such a thing was impossible. She could never love anyone again.

Miss Henderson appeared before the doctor left, and arrangements were made to take Trix away the next day.

"You'll like that, won't you?" the doctor asked the child smilingly.

"Is Miss Nancy going?" asked Trix, her amber eyes darkening.

"We'll see," the doctor returned before Nancy could answer. He looked thoughtful, and afterward when Nancy walked down to the door with him he returned to the subject. "I wish you were going with her. Miss Henderson is all right, but the child worships you and I'm afraid there'll be trouble when she finds out the truth. I suppose you think me very unselfish, or lacking in all the elements that go to make up a lover because I say that."

He was looking at her now with his blue eyes suddenly tender, and Nancy raised her own to meet his.

"It's because I'm not sure that you care for me, Nancy," he said softly. "Last night there was something in your eyes, something that seemed to shrink away from me when I touched you, and I want you to be quite sure, dear, or I won't hold you to your promise."

Nancy's heart leaped up. Now was her chance for freedom, now was her opportunity to tell him the truth, and yet somehow she could not speak the words that would have released her from her promise, not while he was looking at her that way, he cared so much.

"You'll be leaving here as soon as Trix does, won't you?" he went on, not waiting for her to speak.

"Yes, of course," Nancy said quickly.

"Then why don't you come down and stay with my mother for a few days? You needn't be afraid; she knows nothing at all about last night. She may have suspected that I care, but she knows nothing definite, and you'll be quite free."

"Oh, thank you. I'd love that," Nancy said impulsively, and inasmuch as he did not press her for an answer as to whether or not she cared for him she refrained from referring to the subject again.

But when she returned to Trix she found the child in a storm of tears and Miss Henderson vainly trying to stop her crying. She looked up as Nancy entered.

"I told her she must be good and not fret for you," she exclaimed to Nancy, who had sat down by the bed and was gathering the hot little hands in hers. "I didn't see any reason for pretending that you were going with us tomorrow, but she musn't be allowed to cry like this. What shall we do?"

Trix was crying deeply as a grown-up person cries; there was nothing of the lusty wail of childhood about her grieving, no slightest hint of temper. She wept as though she were heartbroken, and Nancy knew it was the very thing they must avoid.

(To Be Continued.)

Cranberry Recipes

CRANBERRY CONSERVE.

TRY this cranberry conserve—it's delicious; it's from the private recipe book of a Russian Prince.

Place in preserving kettle three pounds cranberries, two and one-half pounds sugar, juice two oranges.

Cook slowly for five minutes. Now add one package seeded raisins, one cup finely chopped nuts, two-thirds cup finely chopped crystallized ginger.

Cook very slowly, placing an asbestos mat under preserving kettle to prevent scorching, stirring frequently; when thick like jam store in jelly glasses or half-pint fruit jars in usual jelly manner.

From the same source comes the famous cranberry mince—it is used around the holiday season for pies, pastries and tarts.

CRANBERRYADE.

Cranberryade is a delightful, refreshing beverage and a splendid spring tonic, cleansing the blood stream from all impurities and satisfying the palate.

Cranberries may be canned, like rhubarb, with the cold water process. Fill jars full of cranberries, packing tightly, now place under the cold running water and fill jars to overflowing, place on rubber and seal securely, store in cold place. To use, drain free from water and cook; rub through sieve to remove skins and sweeten. These berries must be used before warm weather.

TO CAN CRANBERRIES.

Just as fast as you empty your fruit jars fill them at once with cranberries, and you can then use them the year around.

Wash berries, look over carefully, discarding all mushy berries, place four pounds of berries in preserving kettle. Add one and one-half pounds sugar, quarter teaspoon salt, one cup water.

Cook slowly until berries are soft; fill into sterilized fruit jars, adjust rubber and lid and partially fasten—place in hot-water bath and process 20 minutes after boiling starts—remove, seal securely, store in cool dry place. These cranberries will keep until used.

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What Paddy the Beaver Heard

Want a thing and you will find
Others of a kindred mind.

—Old Mother Nature.

JUST a little way from the shore of the pond of Paddy the Beaver deep in the Green Forest slept Honker the Goose and his flock. Many, many miles had they flown since the break of day and they were very, very tired. Here in Paddy's pond they felt safe and they went to sleep without worry. They were so sure nothing could harm them there that they didn't even keep one guard.

Yet as gentle Mistress Moon looked down on that peaceful scene and flooded the pond with her soft light hungry eyes, fierce eyes, were peering out from the bushes and brush along the shore. They glowed with eagerness and longing as they saw the great dark masses floating on the water, for their noses told them that those dark masses were great birds sleeping there. You see, the wandering Little Night Breezes brought the strong scent of Geese and made certain mouths, filled with long, sharp teeth, water.

Reddy Fox was sure, quite sure, that never in his life had he wanted anything as he wanted one of those great birds for his dinner. Old Man Coyote had precisely the same feeling. And so did Yowler the Bob Cat, not to mention Mrs. Reddy and Old Granny Fox. Reddy and Mrs. Reddy had come together, but for a while none of the others knew of the presence of any but themselves.

But out in the pond was a silent watchman who knew just where each was. It was Paddy the Beaver. His nose had told him that. As quietly as the sleeping Geese he floated, listening for some sound of the enemies he knew were all around the pond. He didn't dare go ashore to work, so he kept watch.

Now those watchers had approached the pond from different directions, each taking the greatest care to make no sound. As soon as it was discovered just where those Geese were sleeping each hungry, eager hunter began to steal noiselessly around to the place on the shore nearest those sleeping birds, hoping that one of them would drift near enough to be caught.

Reddy Fox and Mrs. Reddy were the first to reach that place. Paddy didn't hear them, but his nose told him just where they were. Presently old Granny Fox joined them. Still they made no sound. Reddy and Mrs. Reddy may have been disappointed, but they said nothing. After all, she was one of the family.

A few minutes later the faintest of growls came to the listening ears of Paddy the Beaver. Paddy grinned.

"Old Man Coyote has arrived," he muttered. "He is too smart to speak loud enough to waken those Geese, but I guess those Foxes understand him all right. Probably he is showing all his teeth, and they don't like the look of them. Ha! I thought as much," he added, as the faint rustle of leaves reached him. "Those Foxes have had to move along and



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give up their places to Old Man Coyote. How they must hate him."

For a time Paddy heard nothing more. All was as still as if no living creature was near. Then suddenly there was a low growl followed by a spitting sound and a faint but ugly snarl. Again Paddy grinned. "Yowler the Bob Cat, as I live," he exclaimed under his breath. "He is ordering Old Man Coyote away, and Old Man Coyote won't dare stay. How that will tickle those Foxes. I wish some one would come along to drive Yowler away, the old Sneak Cat!"

Not five minutes later Paddy had his wish. He heard Yowler snarl. It was a low snarl, but an ugly one. It was answered by a deep, rumbly grumbly growl. There was the sound of sharp claws on wood and Paddy knew that Yowler had taken to a tree. Then in the silvery moonlight a black form reared above the bushes. It was Buster Bear, who had just caught the scent of those Geese.

"My, this is exciting!" thought Paddy, "but, oh, dear, how it does interfere with my work!"

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PICTURE HAT OF DANNE VELVET TURNED UP FROM THE FACE

RUSSIAN SABLE CLOAK FOR THE OPERA

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WHITE SATIN FROCK, WITH AN OVERDRESS OF CHIFFON COVERED IN MOCK DIAMONDS THE SASH IS OF ROYAL BLUE AND WHITE

FUR TRIMMED NAVY GABARDINE, WITH GREY SUEDE BELT

A TRICONE SHAPE ADORNED WITH PARADISE PLUMES.

Training the Child at Home

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DID you ever watch pigeons cling about the pigeon house and listen to their cooing before they settled down for the night? The flying in and out of pigeons suggests "the glad outgoing—sweet homecoming" of children around the mother's knee. Froebel recognized in this scene a symbol of life, a lesson for us, as mothers, which we cannot study too carefully.

"The 'outgoing' and the 'homecoming,' there is a world of meaning in each word. Do you send your child out each day, to school or to play, happily, trustingly, lovingly, to be glad to go, but gladder still to return? What sort of a homecoming does he have? Aren't we, mothers, too apt to make that homecoming full of scoldings for tardiness, nagging over table deportment, hurrying the children off to bed that we can have the evening to ourselves? Those things seem of great importance, but wouldn't it be of more lasting value to us and to the children if, instead, we made sure that homecoming a happy summary of the day's affairs?

There is no child who is not anxious to tell what he has been doing all day. If he has been at school there are often little difficulties, annoyances that the teacher has not had time to satisfactorily explain or smooth out. A word or two from mother may make it all clear and right. And if he has been at play there will be so many things to tell. It is while out at play that the child becomes acquainted with the fascinating realm of out-of-doors. Flowers, birds, trees, bees and butterflies he may become closer acquainted with them all through the retelling of his experiences among them. Wouldn't he be more interested in insect life if he knew the life history of the butterfly or of the ant with its almost human arrangement of home and work? Wouldn't he find more satisfaction in the fields if he knew that there were weeds that ate bugs and some that lived on other plants, like selfish folks? And wouldn't you like to have him so form the habit of telling you things that he goes on telling them, even after he passes out of childhood? Wouldn't you like to be the one he always comes back to for understanding and intelligent enlargement of his small ideas?

And isn't it in this deep abiding faith in mother and father, and in the intimate comradeship with the outside world, that the faith in the Infinite is born? Perhaps, in childhood, the connection between the Creator of the universe and a white-fringed, golden-hearted daisy may not be overly clear, but if the connection is made at all, if the child sees the manifestation of the Divine in all the forces of nature, it will not be such a far cry to discovering such manifestations in his own soul. Then, as you help him to weave his daily experiences into a happy w le at the day's end, so may his larger experiences fashion themselves into a life pattern that he will not be ashamed to show to himself or his Creator at the "twilight hour" of life.

VEAL TIMBALES

BOIL sufficient stewing veal to make one and a half cupfuls when run through the meat grinder. Run it through twice and mash with a wooden potato masher to a paste. Add the beaten yolks of three eggs, half a cupful of cream, one-third of a cupful of grape juice (white preferred), half a teaspoonful of salt and a quarter of a teaspoonful of paprika. Prepare also one cupful of white sauce and add two tablespoonfuls of chopped, sauted mushrooms with salt, white pepper and celery salt to suit the individual taste. Butter individual timbale molds, fill one-quarter full of white sauce and fill up the remainder with the veal mixture. Set the molds in a pan of hot water, cover with buttered papers, and bake until set. Remove from molds to hot serving dish, when the sauce will run down and cover the timbales.

Fair English Breadwinners Making Mark

LONDON.—The Hon. Mrs. John Fortescue and the Hon. Mrs. John Russell are especially energetic among the host of women of title who have turned to dressmaking, and with more success than many of their rivals. The former is the designer of rather daring costumes, copying the artist Bakst at a distance. The Hon. Mrs. Fortescue recently gave another of her spectacular exhibitions, this time of winter costumes. She is more conventional in her ideas, but has hit upon the shrewd plan of having mannikins parade in front of her beautiful home in Hampstead. Other dress designers who haven't the gift of staging such affairs effectively complain bitterly of what they call the undue publicity she gets, as they say there is nothing particular in the clothes she makes or the designs to justify it.

Lady Victoria Murray, a sister of the Earl of Dunmore, has always led an active life, and, having worked hard during the war, has taken up farming for a livelihood, even driving the heavy motor machinery employed on her 300-acre farm near Macclesfield. She has more than a hundred thoroughbred cattle, 2000 geese and as many chickens. Last year she sold 40,000 gallons of milk and 60,000 eggs.

Some of the most beautiful lingerie in London is made at the shop of the Officers' Families' Industries, where many recent brides, including Princess Xenia (now Mrs. William Leeds) and Sir Owen Phillips' daughter, the Hon. Mrs. George Coventry, have bought several sets for their trousseaux.

More than £2200 has been paid to the workers, all of whom are dependents of men who fought in the war. Lady Hambro, who has worked hard for the success of the venture, recently designed a silk coat which was bought by the Queen. The model, which has been successfully copied, will be on view with other exhibits at the Englishwoman's Exhibition of Arts and Handicrafts.

The Rome scholarship in engraving for 1921 has been awarded by the faculty of engraving of the British School at Rome to Miss Lilian Whitehead, second daughter of Mr. T. L. Whitehead of Bury, Lancashire.

Miss Whitehead, who is the first woman to gain this open scholarship, began her art training in 1912 at the Bury School of Art, from which she proceeded in 1914 to the Manchester School of Art, where in 1915 she won the Catherine Scarlett Scholarship. Miss Whitehead entered the Slade School in 1917, and in the following year gained the first prize in the summer competition and a first-class life painting certificate. During the past 18 months Miss Whitehead has attended the etching class at the Central School of Arts and Crafts.

Miss Whitehead has exhibited at the Royal Scottish Academy, the New English Art Club and the Royal Society of Painter-Etchers of which institute she was recently elected an associate.

The Rome scholarship in engraving was established after the war through the generosity of an anonymous supporter of the British School at Rome, and like the Rome scholarships in architecture, sculpture and painting, it offers unrivaled opportunities for study and travel abroad. The scholarship is of the value of £250 per annum, the holder receiving, in addition, valuable privileges while resident in Rome.

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The women of Japan have taken exception to the police regulation which prevents them from attending political meetings and have registered a protest petition in the House of Representatives.

THE HEART OF A GIRL

A Story of Romance and a Business Career in St. Louis

By CAROLINE CRAWFORD

CHAPTER I.
Her First Roses.

PEGGY DAYTON stood before an open box of roses. Her first

There was a little mist in her deep blue eyes. Every girl feels just that way when she looks at her first flowers. But in another moment a mischevious smile played about her lips and she gave her curly, brown bobbed hair an impetuous toss.

Peggy had just been graduated from business school; it was her eighteenth birthday, and the 18 American Beauties over which she hovered were from Harrison Townley.

"From Harrison Townley, of all men," whispered Peggy to herself as she looked at the card for the fifteenth time. "Then he does care. I had supposed he was mother's and father's friend, though he did hold my hand a little longer than I thought necessary when he said good night and he has often looked at me with a certain light in his eyes. But he is 28, 10 years my senior, and what would Billy think?"

At the thought of Billy Bracton Peggy's face flushed. Then she thought of the traveling salesman she met during the summer vacation and several other young men she "half liked." But foremost stood Billy.

Billy Bracton was looking for a position and so was she. They had been pals for the last two years in Soldan High School and tonight they were going to the last "class dance." Would she enjoy this dance, now that she had Harrison Townley's roses, now that she knew a full fledged man cared something for her? Did she care for Townley?

Harrison Townley was tall and dark. He was an established man in business. Billy Bracton was tall, too, but, after all, he was only a boy of 19 and he had an unforgivable way of blushing every time you looked at him unexpectedly. But how Billy could dance!

Peggy's reveries were interrupted by her mother's presence. Mrs. Dayton smiled sweetly as she brought the best vase, filled with water.

"Of course you will write a note to Mr. Townley and thank him for these beautiful roses," she said as she lifted them from their box and arranged them.

"Oh, yes, indeedy," laughed Peggy, as she noted how her mother "mistered" the man whom the family formerly called "Harry Townley."

"You don't seem to take these roses seriously, Peggy, dear," complained Mrs. Dayton. "If you could get a man like Mr. Townley you would not have to go to business at all. I didn't know he cared for you."

"I did," chirped Peggy boastfully. "I've known it for a long time. But I am not at all certain that I should care to be 'Mrs. Townley.' It might be a whole lot more interesting to go to business and have a career."

"Would you rather earn $20 a week pounding a typewriter than to have a nice little apartment right near ours in the Cabanne district, or perhaps a home in the county?" asked Mrs. Dayton.

"Aren't you going ahead of the time, mother, dear? After all, what do 18 little rosebuds mean?"

"They mean a great deal from him, my dear."

Just then the telephone gave Peggy a chance to dash out of the room only to hear Harrison Townley's well-modulated voice at the other end of the wire.

"I have just called up your father and gained his permission to take you to a show tonight," he said. "My sister is giving a box party at the American Theater and I do so hope you will allow me to take you."

Peggy stood transformed by the rich, full notes of his voice. There was an indefinable charm and persuasiveness which made him seem like a new man to her.

There was her little orange crepe de chine with its broad sash lying on the bed waiting for her. Should she wear it to the dance with Billy or to the box party with Harrison Townley?

CHAPTER II.
The Turn in the Road.

PEGGY stood before the telephone absolutely tongue-tied. She wanted to go to the box party with Harrison Townley and she wanted to go to the dance with Billy Bracton. But she could not go to both places and she must choose now —at once!

For the first time in her life she almost detested Billy. It wasn't the "class dance" which was worrying her, but simply her promise to Billy and what it would mean to him if she were to disappoint him at the last moment.

"Of course, if you have an engagement," came Townley's pleasant voice from the other end of the wire, "don't break it. I know I should have given you more time, but my sister just phoned me a few moments ago, and it was rather a hasty affair."

"I—I have an engagement," stammered Peggy. "It's the class dance. I'm frightfully sorry. I should have been delighted otherwise."

"Then we'll make it for some other evening," came the clear reply and a rather sorrowful but composed "good-by."

That night at the dinner table Peggy avoided her parents' eyes. She knew her flushed cheeks and lack of appetite displayed her emotions, but she rejoiced that they probably saved her from a reprimand. Neither her father nor her mother referred to Mr. Townley or to the forthcoming dance, so she excused herself just after dessert and hurried to her room to dress.

As a final touch she fastened three of Townley's roses to her girdle, but when Billy called and proudly presented her with a dainty bunch of violets she blushed and promptly replaced the roses in their vase.

"That's right, Peg; better wear the violets," optimistically volunteered Billy. "Besides, they blend in better with your gown. Orange, gray and violet, some becoming colors I'll say. By the way, what old bird sent those roses?"

Peggy resented Billy's "old bird" language, but she coquettishly answered, "A friend of mine," accompanied by a little arch of her eyebrows which rather silenced him on that subject.

They took the Hodiamont car (Billy was not a taxi boy) and in a short time were dazzlingly happy amidst their co-graduates, the fragrance of flowers and the inspiring jazz played by an especially full brass band.

The moment Peggy stepped out on the dance floor with Billy she rejoiced that she had not gone with Harrison Townley and was not at this very moment sitting up in a theater box amidst a crowd of much older people watching others perform. It was so much better to be in life instead of watching others!

Still, as she and Billy glided along her thoughts kept turning to Townley. She wondered if he knew the latest dance steps. Could he dance the Alligator Glide or do the Camel Walk just the way Billy did?

As Peggy lay in bed and heard the clock in the living room chime 2 she suddenly regretted the fact that she had not gone with Townley. The dance was splendid, Billy was the same old Billy, but now that she was away from the glare of the lights, the soft perfume of the flowers and that all-inspiring jazz things looked different to her.

Tomorrow she must start out on her business career. There were three places she had in mind which she was going to investigate. Should she give up Billy and all this dance business now that she was going to earn her own living? Billy was a good companion, a first-rate pal, but she had never thought of him as a future husband. Had she arrived at the age when girls should think of marriage and "settling down?" Townley's voice was so quieting, so kind; he was so handsome, established in life. Most girls would heartily appreciate him as a suitor. Why had she thought of him so many times that evening?

Did she really care for Townley?

Then, Billy's round, boyish face appeared before her. His pompadour hair, his big round eyes and laughing happy face seemed to haunt her.

Did she really care for Billy?

Could a girl be in love with two men at the same time?

(Next—An Offer and a Disappointment.)

ALMOND MERINGUES

HALF cup sweet almonds two egg-whites, one and one-quarter cups sugar, juice of half a lemon. Blanch almonds, shred not too fine, and dry slowly in oven. Stir the whites of eggs, sugar and lemon juice one hour, always in the same direction. Then stir carefully in the shredded almonds. Shape with a spoon on well-greased and floured pan, sprinkle with finely-shredded pistachio nuts. Bake in a very slow oven. They are very good in this way.

Girls in Afghanistan become betrothed at the age of 6.

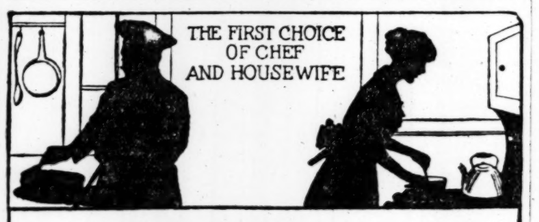
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MY FAVORITE STORIES
By IRVIN S. COBB

(One of a series of short funny stories by the celebrated American humorist which appear daily in the Post-Dispatch on this page.)



HE DIDN'T BELIEVE IN SIGNS.

A FIREMAN on duty behind the scenes of one of the big New York theaters and charged with the responsibility of seeing to it that the regulations were strictly obeyed back-stage, suffered a profound shock as he came around from behind a stack of scenery, just before the evening performance. Standing in the opposite wings was a salesman for an East Side cloak and suit concern, who had procured entrance via the stage door for the purpose of soliciting orders for his wares among the young ladies of the chorus. This person was vehemently puffing on a large, long, black, malignant-looking cigar.

In three jumps the scandalized fireman had the violator by the arm.

"Say," he demanded, "What do you mean, comin' in here with that torch burnin' in your face? Don't you see that sign right up there over your head?"

The trespasser's eyes turned where the fireman's finger pointed. "Sure, mister," he said, "I see it."

"Well, can't you read?" demanded the fireman.

"Sure I can read," admitted the other, calmly.

"Then read what it says there. Don't you see what it says in big letters? It says, 'No Smoking.'"

"Yes," agreed the East Sider, with a winning smile, "but it don't say 'Positively.'"

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METROPOLITAN MOVIES :: By GENE CARR



"Whl yer give me yer coupon, boss, to help a feller get his goil a Chris'mas present?"

MUTT AND JEFF—MUTT IS STILL IN WASHINGTON GETTING AN EYEFUL—By BUD FISHER

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S'MATTER, POP?—HE DOESN'T BELIEVE IN ONE-WAY POLITENESS—By C. M. PAYNE

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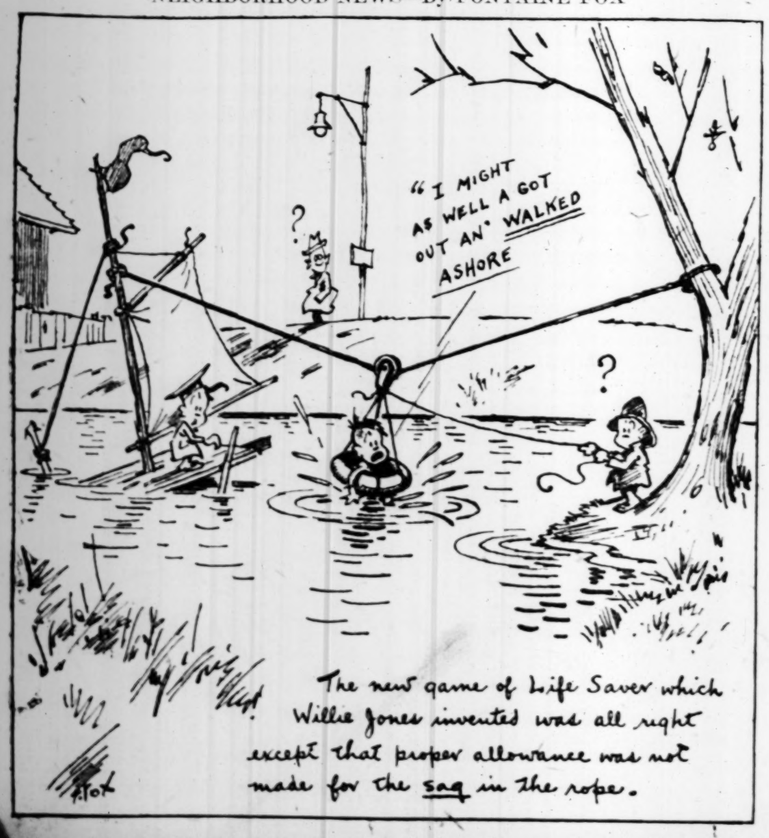


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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS—By FONTAINE FOX



MORE TRUTH THAN POETRY
By James J. Montague



THE DUB'S LAMENT.

I take my stance, address the ball,
And viciously I paste it;
It does not leave the tee at all,
But stays right where I placed it.

I say things to it, which I trust
Are not o'erheard in Heaven,
And sent it, a brutal bust,
Six yards—or maybe seven.

I'll never learn the game I know,
Despite my wild endeavor;
Yet golfers come, and golfers go,
But I hope on forever.

Sometimes in making mashie shots
I get real pep behind them,
But they fly off to vacant lots,
Where I can never find them.

My brassies stop in mid career,
I foozle with the putter,
The very caddies shrink to hear
The language that I utter.

And yet you know how duffers are;
I'm sure that I shall never
Get less than fifty over par,
Yet I hope on forever.

SHELVED.

Most of the football teams have now been put away for the winter in plaster casts.

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Case Cannot Be Appea Supreme Court of U and Legislature Cann Called to Act on Mat Elections Next Year.

By a Staff Correspondent Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 3. Supreme Court in banc today opinion by Judge W. W. Democrat, held that adoption initiate and referendum ment to the State Constitut 1908 deprived the Governor, ney-General and Secretary o of power to realign the se districts of the State, thus ov ing the senatorial redistrictin mulgated by Gov. Hyde A last, which had been accom by himself, Attorney-Gener rett and Secretary of State all Republicans. By that re ing the Republican State had so aligner the counties of the 34 districts were rega them as safely Republican.

The court divided on this on straight political lines, Ch tice J. T. Blair and Judges and Walker, all Democrats, ring in the Graves opinio Judge Higbee, Republican, ed and will file a dissenting later, and Judge Elder, Rep filed a separate opinion, while not listed as a dissenti lon, holds a contrary view to Judge Graves. Judge Da Blair, Republican, was abs probably will vote on the ca His vote cannot overturn suit, however, as the Grave lon has four votes, a majorit court.

Given in the Lashly Ca

This decision was given in famous suit brought against tary of State Becker by A Lashly, Democrat, former ing Attorney of St. Louis and nominated by Democrat ed Twenty-fifth State S district, comprising St. Louis lp and Gasconade cou Democratic candidate for delegate to the constitutio vention. Becker refused and filed Lashly's certi nomination from the Tw District, which, under tempted redistricting, incl extreme Southeast Missou ties. Lashly then brought a Supreme Court to compel accept and file his certif this effort he was supporte Democratic State Committe had taken this means of te attempted redistricting, a Williams of St. Louis and Williams of Kansas City, fo preme Judges, former General John T. Barker an Mayor Henry L. Jost of Ka A. T. Dunn of Jefferson former State Senator Thom kly of Kennett and Way h. Louis, Democratic atto

Old Districts to Pre

This court decision mean district delegates to the tional convention and that Senators, until after the n nial census, in the absence tion of a senatorial redistri mitted by initiative, will from the old senatorial which were shaped in 19 Dockery, Secretary of St and Attorney-General Cr ocrats.

The fight in this case c whether section 57 of ar the State Constitution tive and referendum a repealed by implication th section 7 of article 4 w ferred upon the Governor of State and Attorney-Gen to redistrict the State fo in the event the Legisla

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